

## GERMANS PREPARE FOR OFFENSIVE IN WEST

### SOLDIERS HURRY THROUGH BELGIUM BY DAY AND NIGHT

French Report Further Progress—Battles in the East Still Undecided—Prepare to Attack Inner Dardanelles—Invasion of German Southwest Africa is Underway.

London, Feb. 26.—(10:50 p. m.)—The continued progress which the French are said to be making in the Champagne district and the pressure which the allies, without attempting any great offensive, are declared to be bringing to bear on the German line in the west, have, according to news received from Holland, induced the Germans to make another effort in the west before the allied forces reach their maximum strength.

Hurry Troops to Western Front. By day and by night, say the Dutch newspapers, big motor cars loaded with German soldiers are hurrying through Belgium to the western front and the troops which had been sent to northern Belgium are going back to the trenches. The fact that some of the troops now passing through Belgium come from the eastern front suggests to the military observers that the Germans have decided that they are able to hold the Russians in their present positions while the Germans are carrying out their new offensive in the west. The silence of the German general staff, which today simply said there had been no change on either front, is taken into London as confirmation that some big move such as that suggested is under way.

The allies are displaying no uneasiness. They believe that the softness of the ground must prove a great disadvantage to the Germans and although all the new troops of the allies are not yet ready that they will be able to repel any new attack. During the last couple of days the British have slightly improved their positions in the region of LaBasse, while the French report further progress by their troops in the vicinity of Perthes and the Argonne and repeated successes by their artillery in destroying German guns and trenches.

Battles Still Undecided. In the east a big battle along the Russian fortress line which follows rivers almost the whole way from the Baltic to the Carpathians is still undecided. The same is true also of the battles in the Carpathians and in Bukovina.

Petrograd despatches however, claim that the Russians are more than holding their own in the north and central Poland and that in the Carpathians they are making such a steady advance that not only Hungarian but the Austrian armies fighting in Bukovina are threatened.

No further news has reached London of the bombardment of the Dardanelles by the allied fleet, but it is believed here that the warships will now continue their attacks until the straits are forced.

Prepare to Attack Inner Forts. Having destroyed the outer fortifications the entrance to the waterway is being cleared of mines, preparatory to an attack on the inner forts. One effect of the preliminary success of the allies in the Dardanelles was in the dropping today of the price of wheat which went down several points on Liverpool exchange.

A serious invasion of German Southwest Africa by the Union of South Africa forces is underway.

The troops which landed in Walferisch and Luderitz Bay are advancing along the railways from those ports to the main line which runs north and south through practically the whole length of the colony while another force is concentrating in Northern Cape Colony to advance from the south.

No further losses as a result of the German submarine and mine blockade have been reported. Premier Asquith is expected to make a statement in the house of commons Monday outlining the steps which the allies have decided upon in retaliation against Germany's sea war zone.

## RETURN SUPERSEDING INDICTMENTS

New York, Feb. 26.—The federal grand jury today returned a superseding indictment against twenty-one directors, former directors and counsel of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company, charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. The indictment, similar to the one returned last November, was brought to overcome objections made by certain defendants to the manner in which the first indictment was secured.

## ISSUES ARBOR DAY PROCLAMATION

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 26.—In a proclamation issued today Governor Dunne designates Friday, April 16, as Arbor and Bird Day in Illinois. The planting of trees along the highways, about the homes and public buildings, and the encouragement of protection of bird life is urged upon the citizens of the state.

## ARREST ENTIRE GARRISON

Naco, Ariz., Feb. 26.—As a result of alleged drinking bouts, the entire garrison of Naco, Sonora, was placed under arrest today and sent to the Mayorena camp at San Jose and Lieutenant Colonel Alferio Fargosa has been executed.

## WARNS EDUCATORS AGAINST WHAT HE TERMS "TWO MYTHS"

Superintendent Maxwell of New York Addresses Final Session of Department of Superintendence—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young Speaks.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—With the annual session of the department of superintendence of the National Education association came to a close here today. Superintendent William H. Maxwell of the New York City public schools in addressing the final session warned his hearers against what he termed "two myths."

"One popular myth holds that the child from the poor home cannot do as good work as the child from the home of means," said Mr. Maxwell. "The other is the belief that children of country schools are better off in body and mind than city children. As a rule, neither of these are true."

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of the Chicago public schools, in telling why she was opposed to a survey of the Chicago public schools, said:

"It was when I learned authoritatively that the conclusion of the survey, its report would include a recommendation for a dual system of vocational training, that I decided I did not want a survey. It was planned that half of our vocational training be organized on a separate plan in connection with Chicago manufacturers and that a separate fund would have to be secured for this work."

"Vocational training costs money. The cheapest things furnished the public school child are books and paper."

## LOREE TESTIFIES AT PROBE OF ROCK ISLAND ROAD'S AFFAIRS

Former Chairman of Executive Board Tells of His Resignation at Request of Mr. Reid, of the Rock-Island-Leeds-Moore Group.

Washington, Feb. 26.—L. E. Loree, chairman of the executive committee of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway company and of the Frisco System for ten months in 1904, testified before the inter-state commerce commission today in the investigation of financial affairs of the Rock Island during the regime of the Reid-Leeds-Moore group in control of the railroad from 1901 to 1914.

Mr. Loree said he had been guaranteed \$100,000 when he left the Baltimore & Ohio. This was in addition to the annual salary of \$37,500 he received from the Rock Island and a similar sum from the Frisco. At the end of ten months Mr. Reid asked him to resign, the witness said, saying that the directors faced the necessity of sustaining his actions and losing the services of several other officials or of parting with his services. Mr. Loree said he resigned on the spot and in settlement of his agreement with Mr. Leeds received \$450,000 in Rock Island railway bonds.

## CHARGE ATTEMPT TO USE NEUTRAL SHIPS AS GERMAN AUXILIARIES

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Charges that the Hamburg-American Line had attempted to use the Norwegian Steamships Fram and Sommerstad as auxiliaries to the German navy were made in documents submitted to the federal grand jury which today began here an investigation tended to cover alleged violations of American neutrality and customs laws regarding which European governments have complained since the war began.

The investigation is understood to have been prompted by a complaint made last November by Sir Courtney Bennett, British consul general, alleging violation of the federal statute which makes it a crime to augment the forces of a belligerent with which the United States is at peace.

## WORK ON SUBWAY TO BE CONTINUED BY AMERICANS

New York, Feb. 26.—Work on New York City's new \$300,000,000 subway system will be continued by American citizens pending a decision of the U. S. Supreme Court on yesterday's decision by the state court of appeals in which the constitutionality of that section of the law forbidding the employment of aliens on public work was upheld, according to announcement made here today by C. A. Crane, secretary of the general contractors association.

## NO FURTHER FIGHTING.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 26.—News advices from Bluff, Utah, today indicated that there had been no further fighting between United States Marshal Aquila Nebeker's posse and the band of Piute Indians protecting Tse-No-Gat from arrest on a charge of murder. Negotiations for the surrender of the Indians still were going on but with no indication as to the probable outcome. Havane, the captive, wounded Tuesday night, when attempting to escape, died last night.

## DEFEAT COMMISSION FORM.

Taylorville, Ill., Feb. 26.—The commission form of government was defeated here today by a majority of three hundred votes. The vote, particularly that of the women, was light. Today was the third time the question has been defeated.

## SENATE PASSES THREE APPROPRIATION BILLS

### ADDS ABOUT \$8,000,000 TO NAVAL MEASURE AS ADOPTED BY HOUSE

Lower House Spends Day Debating the General Deficiency Measure With Interruptions to Dispose of Conference Reports.

## FRIDAY IN CONGRESS.

### Senate.

Met at 11 a. m. Debate was resumed on the naval bill.

Passed naval bill, carrying \$152,000,000.

Passed diplomatic bill, carrying \$4,200,000.

Took up conference report on seaman's bill.

Recessed at 10:15 p. m., to 10 a. m., Saturday.

### House.

Met at 11 a. m. Debate was resumed on the general deficiency bill.

Sent legislative bill back to conference.

Accepted conference report on all but four items in army appropriation bill and sent bill back to conference on remaining items.

Adjourned at 6:40 p. m., to 11 a. m., Saturday.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Congress worked away steadily today and tonight on its task of cleaning up supply bills which must be out of the way before adjournment on March 4th. The senate passed the naval bill, \$152,000,000; the diplomatic bill, \$6,000,000; and the diplomatic bill \$4,200,000 while the house spent the day in debating the general deficiency measure with interruptions now and then to dispose of conference reports. The senate added about \$8,000,000 to the naval bill as it passed the house, providing in the two battleship construction program of five sea-going submarines instead of one, for 16 instead of 11 coast defense submarines, for a gunboat and a hospital ship and adding \$1,000,000 for an armor plant and \$500,000 for a projectile factory. The fortifications bill was passed without amendment so that it now goes to the president for his signature.

Paragraph is Stricken Out. Some \$250,000 was added to the diplomatic bill and a paragraph calling on the president to collect from Cuba \$6,500,000, the expense of the American army of pacification in 1909, was stricken out on a point of order.

The house agreed to most of the senate amendments to the army bill, but refused to accept several, including one eliminating the prohibition against stop watches and other "speeding up" methods in army shops. All except one of the senate amendments to the legislative, executive and judicial bill were disagreed to. For the item of \$160,000 to be spent by the president in connection with the formal opening of the Panama canal, the house substituted \$50,000 and instructed its conferees to insist upon that amount.

Discuss Legislative Situation. Democratic and Republican leaders on both sides of the capital were busy during the day holding informal conferences on the legislative situation.

The Democrats have apparently decided to let the measures have precedence over the ship purchase bill. Difficulties of the majority leaders have been increased by the incorporation into the senate of the Mendenhall rural credits bill in the agricultural measure.

## TELLS OF EXECUTION OF WEALTHY SPANIARD

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 26.—A message from San Luis Potosi, delayed in transmission says Innocencia Narezo, a wealthy Spaniard of Matheuala, was executed by Villa soldiers. It was alleged in the message that he was taken to a cemetery with two other men who had refused to contribute money to the Villa officers and there shot to death. Relatives, it was said, were not permitted to remove the body until the next day. It was charged, the message said, that Narezo declared it was impossible for him to raise the one million pesos demanded and begged for time in which to make an effort to get it.

## ALLIES ARE IN ABSOLUTE ACCORD

London, Feb. 26.—(7:40 p. m.)—France, Russia, England, Serbia and Belgium are said by English officials to be in absolute accord as to reprisals to be made on Germany, Austria and Turkey in retaliation for the German submarine combination. While it can be authoritatively stated that the reprisals have not been agreed upon England and her allies have decided upon some points which probably will be announced Monday by premier Asquith in a statement for the press.

## COMMISSION FORM CARRIES.

Paris, Ill., Feb. 26.—Only a little more than half the normal vote turned out today to vote a commission form of government for Paris. The proposition carried 1,157 to 620 as follows: Yes—Men 780; women 677. No—Men 925; women 95.

## War News Summarized

Heavy fighting is in progress in various parts of north Poland between the Germans and the Russians. Sanguinary engagements have taken place along the Niemen, near Sventoyansk and to the north of Grodno, and also in the region of Przasnysz and the heavy German siege artillery has opened a bombardment on the Russian fortress of Ossowetz.

Petrograd claims an important success in the region of Przasnysz, where the Germans chronicled a victory for themselves a day or so ago and the capture of some ten thousand prisoners. The Russian war office says the Germans in this vicinity have been forced to retreat over a twenty-five mile front with heavy losses in killed, wounded and prisoners. A large number of guns were captured by the Muscovites.

A repulse of the Germans who had crossed the Niemen near Sventoyansk, according to Petrograd, forced them back across the river. Near Grodno the fighting continues. Villages here have changed hands repeatedly.

While there is fighting at different points farther south through Poland and Galicia and up in the passes of the Carpathians, none of the battles here have proved that the decision is any nearer a decisive result than it has been for weeks past.

In the west advances and the taking of trenches in the Champagne and the capture of "important fractions" of the German lines further west are claimed by the French.

Artillery engagements have been in progress along the whole line.

Having silenced the forts at their entrance to the Dardanelles, the allied fleet is now covering the work of mine sweepers in the channel, preparatory to attempting further progress along the narrow waterway leading to the sea of Marmora.

## STEAMER MONGOLIAN HEADS FOR HALIFAX CONVOYED BY U.S. CUTTER

Liner is Leaking Badly—Is Believed to Have Had an Encounter With Ice—Has 200 Passengers Aboard.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 26.—The Allan Line Steamer Mongolian, reported leaking badly with 200 passengers aboard, was heading for Halifax, N. S., tonight, conveyed by the United States coast guard cutter Seneca. An encounter with ice is believed to have forced the liner to turn back on a voyage from Philadelphia and St. Johns for Glasgow. All the passengers were taken on at this port.

A wireless message from the Mongolian tonight said that all was well on board. The steamer was proceeding at a rate of ten knots an hour.

The Seneca became the Mongolian's convoy when she intercepted a wireless message for assistance sent to the Red Cross Liner Stephano. The cutter, which was doing ice patrol duty, reached the Mongolian speedily and the Stephano was able to continue her voyage from New York to this port.

## FRIENDLY INDIANS SUFFER GREATLY FROM LACK OF FOOD

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 26.—Friendly Indians encamped northeast of Bluffs are suffering greatly through lack of food and are living in terror of the hostiles, according to a despatch received by the Desert News from Bluffs today. Indian agents Greel and Jenkins located the band numbering 115, mostly women and children. They were found to be in a desperate condition through lack of food and the recent deep snow had so reduced their horses that the Indians were unable to move from their camp. None of these Indians ever lived on a reservation but they now express themselves as anxious to be taken to the Ute reservation in Colorado, where they may obtain food. Their want has been relieved temporarily and they will be moved to the reservation as soon as their horses are able to travel.

## WRECKAGE APPEARS TO INDICATE DISASTER TO GERMAN SUBMARINE

CHRISTIANIA, via London, Feb. 27.—(3:50 a. m.)—Wreckage picked up near Christiania appears to indicate a disaster to the German submarine U-9.

The German Submarine U-9 has played an important part in the naval activities of the war. It sank the British Cruisers Hogue, Aboukir and Cressy in the North Sea on Sept. 23rd, and eluded pursuit. On Oct. 25th, it sank the British Cruiser Hawk.

A Dutch steam trawler reported Nov. 1st that it had met the U-9 in a disabled condition off Haaks light ship near Helder on the North Coast of Holland. Its trouble had been caused by becoming entangled with fishing nets. There have been no reports regarding the U-9 since that date.

## ERTLE WINS ON FOUL

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 26.—Johnnie Ertle of St. Paul, bantam weight, tonight won on a foul over Frankie Izzo, Chicago, in the seventh round of a scheduled ten round, no decision bout.

## ARGUMENTS IN FRANK CASE ARE COMPLETED

### DECISION MAY NOT BE GIVEN FOR SEVERAL WEEKS

Nothing Will Stand in the Way of the State Carrying out the Death Sentence, Should the Decision of the Georgia Federal Court be Sustained.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Arguments on the Georgia federal court's decision refusing a writ of habeas corpus to Leo M. Frank, under death sentence for the murder of Mary Phagan, the Atlanta factory girl, were concluded today before the United States Supreme court. A decision probably will not be given for at least several weeks.

Should the supreme court affirm the decision of the Georgia federal court nothing will stand in the way of the state carrying out the death sentence. If the ruling is reversed, the case must go back to the district court for the taking of evidence on which the allegations in the petition for the writ were based.

### Hear Attorneys for State.

Both Solicitor Dorsey and Attorney General Grice for the state urged that the state courts having held that there had been no interference with Frank's rights by mob violence, a review by the federal court could not be had on a writ of habeas corpus but was open only to review by a writ of errors.

As to Frank's absence, Attorney General Grice contended there was no coercion used by Judge Roan in keeping Frank and his attorneys from the court room.

"Only a kind hearted judge in the most sympathetic manner made the suggestion to counsel in private," he said.

Touching upon the same point, Solicitor Dorsey declared that it was not until eight months after the trial and not until new counsel has taken hold of the case that the point of prisoner's being absent was raised as a ground for setting aside the verdict.

Mr. Dorsey concluded by citing cases to support his view that Frank could waive his right to be present when the jury returned its verdict.

## WILSON RECEIVES ENCOURAGING REPORTS FROM AMBASSADORS

Complete Replies to Suggestion of United States are Not Expected for Several Days.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Encouraging reports from both Ambassadors Page and Gerard at London and Berlin respectively, were received by President Wilson and his cabinet today concerning the attitude of Great Britain and Germany toward the latest American proposals for safeguarding neutral commerce from the dangers of submarines and mines and the unrestricted shipment of foodstuffs to the civilian population of belligerent countries. Complete replies are not expected for several days, because the subject is still under consideration by England and her allies.

Germany's willingness to make concessions and negotiate for an understanding on the vexatious questions already has been made known informally to the United States and a formal acquiescence is expected in a day or two. All eyes now are turned on London, where the opinion is understood as yet to be divided on the merits of the suggestion.

## HOLDS EXPLOSIVE SESSION.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—An explosive session of the board of arbitration in the western railroad wage case was held here today.

The exchanges were between A. W. Trenholm, general manager of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, who has been on the witness stand for nearly two weeks and W. S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of locomotive firemen and engineers, who, with W. S. Stone, head of the engineers' organization represents the men.

The trouble arose over the introduction of an exhibit by Mr. Trenholm showing the actual earnings in 1914 of what he called "typical" engineers and firemen.

## ATTENDS LECTURE COURSE

A. G. Cody returned yesterday from St. Louis where he attended a lecture course on Dermatology and Ultra Embalming, given by Prof. Bates of the Eckles School of Embalming, Philadelphia. These methods are designed especially for bodies dead of consumption or other wasting disease, providing a method for restoring the contour of the face and eliminating marks of suffering.

## JACKSONVILLE REBEKAHS RECEIVE SIX MEMBERS

Six candidates were received Friday evening at the regular meeting of Jacksonville Rebekah Degree Lodge No. 13 at the L. O. O. F. temple on East State street. They were Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Woodman, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCurley, Mrs. Mary Taylor and Mrs. Harry Clemons. The committee on refreshments consisted of Mrs. H. E. Frye, Mrs. Frank Hamm, Miss Flora Lomb, Miss Edith Carlson, Miss Veda Colby, Miss Anna Weber, Miss Lillian Carter, W. L. Brown and Otis Ermyer.

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## PRACTICALLY SETTLE SEATING OF GREEN IN RECOUNT OF BALLOTS

Republican Has a Net Gain of 157 Votes in Douglas County—Shanahan Goes to Chicago With Committee Work in Good Shape.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 26.—The seating of E. Walter Green, Republican of Hinsdale, in the election contest in the thirty-fourth senatorial district practically was settled this afternoon with the completion of the recount of ballots in Douglas county. Green gained 164 votes in this county alone. Robert Howard of Mattoon, his Democratic opponent, gained seven votes, leaving Green a net gain of 157 votes in the county. This exactly doubles the original plurality accorded Green in the district in the returns made to the secretary of state's office. In Coles county, first to be counted in the recount, Howard made a net gain of sixty-nine votes. This reduces Green's plurality to 245 in the two counties, but with only Clark county to be recounted it is conceded by Democratic members of the committee that Howard's chances have dwindled to practically nothing. According to the returns submitted to the secretary of state the total vote in the twenty precincts of Clark county was Greene 2,181; Howard, 1,941.

It was said many errors in tabulating the Douglas county returns were found.

After completing the recount of Douglas county members of the committee adjourned until 9 o'clock next Monday morning when the recount in Clark county will be taken up. It is expected to complete the recount and be ready to report back to the house when that body meets next Tuesday. Speaker Shanahan left this afternoon for Chicago with his work of making up the standing committees in the house in much better shape than he anticipated earlier in the week. He conferred with a number of assemblymen today. It is his intention to return to Springfield Sunday forenoon.

## SPORTING CLUB OF CUBA HOPES TO STAGE JOHNSON-WILLARD BOUT

Heavyweight Still Remains in Havana—Curley Has no Intention of Transferring Match.

Havana, Feb. 26.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight pugilist who has been attempting to reach Juarez, Mexico in order to fight Jess Willard for the championship of the world there March 6th, is still in Havana. Johnson says he has signed no kind of an agreement or posted any forfeit for a bout with Willard in Havana.

The National Sporting Club of Cuba, which has just been organized, hopes to stage a fight between Johnson and Willard in Havana, the bout to be held either in the Havana stadium, the Politeama Theatre or in a new stadium to be erected under a concession held by the club. Nothing definite as to the prospects will be known however, until the arrival of Jack Curley, promoter of the proposed Johnson-Willard bout in Juarez, Mexico.

## Does Not Intend to Transfer Match.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—Jack Curley, promoter of the proposed bout between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard at Juarez, Mexico, March 6th, said here tonight he had no intention of transferring the match to Havana.

Curley will sail for Havana tomorrow for a conference with Johnson.

## WILL PLACE ANONYMOUS LETTER IN HANDS OF AUTHORITIES

Epistle Charges Mrs. Stegler with Being the Cause of Her Husband's Arrest—Will be Compared with Letters Alleged to Have Been Written by Capt. Boy-Ed.

New York, Feb. 26.—Charles H. Griffiths, attorney for Richard P. Stegler, the German naval reservist, arrested here Wednesday on the charge of fraudulently obtaining an American passport, announced tonight that he would place in the hands of the federal authorities tomorrow an anonymous typewritten letter received by Mrs. Stegler which would be compared with letters alleged to have been written to Stegler by Captain K. Boy-Ed, naval attaché of the German embassy at Washington. The letter charges her with being the cause of her husband's arrest.

Stegler according to Mr. Griffiths, has told the federal authorities that Captain Boy-Ed wanted him to go to England as a spy.

## GRAND PRIX RACE TODAY.

San Francisco, Feb. 26.—Ideal weather is promised for the renewal of the Grand Prix automobile race tomorrow on the Panama-Pacific exposition course. Thirty-five automobiles are scheduled to get away at 10:30 a. m. on the 402 miles contest and it is estimated that five hours will be required to complete the distance. The Grand Prix gold cup and a purse of \$5,000 will be the winner's reward.

## FRED AYER WINS DOG DERBY.

Nome, Alaska, Feb. 26.—Fred Ayer, driving a team of fourteen Fox Hounds, finished first late today in the 64-mile Solomon derby for dog teams. His team was six hours and 23 minutes. Percy Blatchford, driving the Downing-Blatchford team, was second in six hours and 38 minutes. At last reports Leonard Seppala was leading "Scotty" Allan, driving the Allan-Darling team of Malamutes, for third place.

## WOULD MAKE SHIPPING BOARD PERMANENT

Washington, Feb. 26.—Despairing of amending the government ship purchase bill to meet objections by insurgent Democratic senate conferees on the measure tonight agreed to a report which would make permanent the proposed government shipping board and ship corporation subject to the will of the president and congress.

## TO PROHIBIT MEETINGS.

Rome, Feb. 26.—The Italian government has decided to prohibit all the future meetings called for the purpose of arousing sentiment for or against Italy's participation in the war. This step was taken owing to the serious disorders which have resulted from such meetings in which a number of persons have been killed or wounded.

## The Weather

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Illinois: Cloudy Saturday, Sunday rain or snow.

## Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Friday were:

Jacksonville	39	44	39
Boston	24	34	12
Buffalo	16	24	3
New York	32	36	39
New Orleans	56	60	48
Chicago	28	28	22
Detroit	22	29	14
Omaha	30	34	30
St. Paul	24	24	10
Helena	36	38	28
San Francisco	56	60	43
Winnipeg	14	16	4





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### P. S. OR SPEAKS OF "MOTHER" AT SPECIAL BROTHERHOOD SERVICE

One Hundred Men Seated in Reserved Section Hear the Rev. P. W. Stephens in Feeling Discourse at Baptist Church Revival.

"Mother" was the subject last evening of the Rev. P. W. Stephens at the First Baptist revival and the motherhood formed the theme of an earnest message to the large assembly present. Friday was "Brotherhood Night," and in observance of this there were seated in the center of the church a body of one hundred men, members of the First Baptist brotherhood, each wearing in his button-hole a white rosebud in token of the evening's theme.

Strong services have been planned for Sunday. In the evening the ordinance of baptism will be administered to candidates who have professed Christ in the course of the meetings. Rev. Mr. Pontius of the Christian church was present last evening and led in prayer. The solo by Miss Duncan, "Tell Mother I'll Be There," was given an added effect by a quartet chorus of male voices behind the scenes. An excellent spirit was manifest in the after meeting.

Mr. Stephens took his text from John 19-27, "Behold Thy Mother." The minister called to mind four thoughts which arise on the mention of "mother." Mother love, the sacrifice of mother, Heaven and Jesus. It is the mother who first gives up the coveted pleasure and remains up late at night for the recreant son.

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NEW SPRING WAISTS AT HERMAN'S.  
NEW SPRING MILLINERY AT HERMAN'S.

### BABY SWALLOWED NEEDLE.

An X-ray picture was taken of the throat of the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Gouveia of North Prairie street, at Passavant hospital Friday. The needle was found lodged in the child's esophagus. The foreign body will be removed this morning by Dr. J. U. Day. The child swallowed the needle last August.

### SPECIAL FOR TODAY ONLY.

Peanut and taffy candy at 10c the lb. at Vickery & Merrigan's.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. William Johnson will be held this morning at 10 o'clock at Alexander, in charge of Rev. Father Smith of Franklin. Burial will be made in New Berlin.

### ANOTHER BIG SALE.

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### CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Eva Price of Farmington is the guest of Miss Lillian Cleary.

Mrs. Emma Summers and daughter Belle of Monticello were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Rogers and daughter Mabel are visiting Newton Woods of Franklin. Mrs. Rogers' brother.

Miss Olive Blunt and her Japanese friend, Miss Kane Akiko, of Tokio, Japan, will speak at the Christian church at Woodson this evening.

Mrs. Flora German of South Fayette street will remove with her family to St. Louis today. Miss Lewis will remain here until next week.

Miss Lena Megrison of Woodson who was here to attend the tournament Friday left over the Alton last night for Aurora where she will make an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ivolett.

### BLUES DEFEATS FRANKLIN.

Scott County Team Wins 18 to 11 in Close Game of Basketball.

Bluffs was victor last evening in a hard fought basketball game with the five from Franklin at the Bluffs opera house. A good turnout witnessed the contest and the game throughout was a good example of clean, straightforward sport. To night the Bluffs boys will engage the Baylis five at Baylis and Franklin will meet Petersburg on Franklin's floor. The lineup follows:

Franklin Position Bluffs  
Teany ..... R. E. ... Wisdom  
Gates ..... L. P. ... Cullum  
Bergschneider ..... C. ... Summers  
Claude Hart ..... R. G. ... O'Brien  
Lyle Hart ..... L. G. ... Black  
Referee—Northrup.  
Umpire—Ryan of Franklin.

Extra fancy ripe bananas, 15 and 20 cents per doz. Cannon Bros.

## SOUNDING THE REPUBLICAN TIMBER.

Washington, Feb. 26.—While the eyes of the present, momentous and complicated as they are, require the hardest work that the Republican leaders have ever performed for a minority party in the national government, the fond, clinging hope for triumphal return in 1915 to the power of old days refuses to be overshadowed by the world-war and the filibuster. The choice of the next leader of the G. O. P. is an all-pervading topic wherever Republicans meet.

It is conceded by the leaders that the eyes of the Republican party are focussed on no one man as yet. In fact, the party claims a superfluity of the finest timber, ranging from the most progressive to the most conservative wings of the party. Eliminations are not in process; in fact, as the campaign draws nearer, new booms, new claims and new issues are bringing forward still more material for the stamp of approval of large followings, looking toward the presidential chair.

James R. Mann, the Illinois master of legislation, has had the eye of recognition for many moons. He has made good in one of the most difficult positions in the service of Congress. And the Illinois men feel that, as with McKinley, the man who knows Congress best can achieve the best results in the White House. And Mann knows Congress best. His Democratic adversaries know his steel. They respect him. He has carried cheerfully and aily the whole burden of minority responsibility in the House. He has been a real leader during the Congress now closing, inasmuch as he has arrived at his own decisions unaided and has enforced his will on his colleagues, regardless of praise or protest.

Probably no one takes his candidacy less seriously than does Mann. He is not seeking rewards. He is entirely happy in exercising his ability, and is giving to his country the best that he knows. He seeks no popularity except that of real worth, and he cannot be accused of playing the trumpet to hear the applause.

Senator Weeks of Massachusetts is conceded to be New England's candidate for 1915. Weeks will surely have considerable backing from the most conservative wing of the party, the real stand-patters. Weeks has been successful, constructive and important worker in the senate.

Senator Burton of Ohio continues to grow in popularity, although his Washington friends are disappointed that he did not seek re-election. As the antagonist of the river and harbor malappropriations and as the all-round genius in opposition to the shipping bill he has made himself a great figure in current legislation. Burton has only friends in the Republican ranks, and has the sincere respect of his opponents. Society may not want a bachelor in the White House, but good government has nothing to fear from Burton, in the opinion at the Capitol.

Ellihu Root stands today, on the eve of his retirement from the Senate, stronger than ever among the conservatives. A remarkable softening of opinion is noticeable toward him. The wise experience and skill of Root have exerted a profound influence upon Congress and public opinion, it is conceded. His speech on the shipping bill is pronounced by the Republicans one of the greatest addresses ever made in the Senate, while his willing acceptance of election to the New York Constitutional Convention has shown his readiness to accept service wherever he could be of use. While New York may offer Governor Whitman as more popular among the younger element in the party, Senator Root is surely not on the wane as a good possibility for the presidential nomination.

Senator Cummins of Iowa has also outdone himself of late in the senate. A little less of a party man than any of the others, he is very able. His substitute shipping bill, providing for the building of an American merchant marine, brought him added strength in the Republican ranks.

Another growing Republican in the Senate in Borah of Idaho. Although less prominent in ship purchase discussion, his whole record has been one of masterful ability, combined with a personal charm which tempts his conservative friends to overlook his occasional radicalism.

It is a common saying here that if Justice Charles E. Hughes of the Supreme Court should declare his willingness to be nominated for president no other name would be mentioned in the next Republican national convention. But Justice Hughes will make no such declaration. The justice of the Supreme Court, it is well understood, regard the next ten years as pregnant with epoch-making possibilities for their epoch; and it is said there is a complete understanding among themselves that under no circumstances shall politics be permitted to interfere with their work.

It is not believed here that former President Taft seriously desires another nomination. Many other candidates would give way to him in event he should allow the use of his name definitely.

F. H. Rowe and R. Y. Rowe, T. J. Kelly and W. C. Bradish are home after attending the semi-annual convention of health and accident companies of the United States in St. Louis, Mo.

## ILLINOIS WINS FROM CARTHAGE

LOCALS ANNEX CONTEST BY SCORE OF 25 TO 11.

Game Was Played in High School Gymnasium Before Largest Crowd to Ever Witness Illinois at Home—Last Game Before Tournament.

Illinois college closed their playing schedule for the season before the tournament, at Peoria, last night against Carthage college, winning by a score of 25 to 11. The game was played in the high school gymnasium after the two evening games of the high school tournament had been pulled off. It was the biggest crowd that Illinois players had ever had in this city and the fans did their part in pulling for the home boys.

Illinois issued to playing on a large floor and during the first half, the team had hard work to get together. Then too, the Carthage lads were guarding closely and playing the game of their life. The score at the end of the first half was 7 to 0 in favor of Illinois.

In the second half Illinois found herself and the twenty minutes of play were even more interesting than those of the first half. Gary and Smith were put in before the game was over by Coach Harman.

The score:

	F. B.	F. T.	T. P.
Carthage	0	1	1
Peterson, lf	2	0	4
Carlton, rf	3	0	6
Windman, c	0	0	0
Holtgreve, rf	0	0	0
Simmons, lf	0	0	0
Totals	5	1	11

	F. B.	F. T.	T. P.
McLaughlin, f	3	0	6
Stewart, f	2	2	4
Frishle, c	2	0	4
Atchison, g	2	3	7
Pierce, g	1	0	2
Totals	10	5	25

Fresh roasted jumbo peanuts, 15c lb. Claus Tea Co.

### WITH THE SICK.

John J. Mallen of Prospect street is a very sick man, and became unconscious at about 6 o'clock Thursday evening. His condition is serious.

Russel Waterfield is confined by illness to his home on South Prairie street.

Weir Smith of West North street is detained at home by illness.

John Gibbs, who has been ill with erysipelas is able to sit up.

Mrs. Robert Henley who is a patient at Dr. J. A. Day's hospital is improving.

The family of Frank Tendick, consisting of himself, wife and four children, who are ill with typhoid fever at Passavant hospital, are recovering in a satisfactory manner.

### SPECIAL.

Our big special sales on peanut and taffy candy at 10 cents per lb. have proven so popular that we will hold another one today, don't fail to attend. Vickery & Merrigan.

### CONFEE ESQUIRE'S RANK.

Favorite Lodge No. 276, Knights of Pythias, in regular meeting Thursday evening conferred the rank of esquire on ReRoy Craig. After the work the members of the lodge enjoyed an oyster supper.

### TO HOLD PUBLIC SALE

On Tuesday, March 2, at Pisgah, Clark Green and J. E. Curry and A. A. Curry will sell about thirty head of fine horses and mares, including one grey team four years old, weight 2800; one bay team 4 years old, 2800 lbs.; one team of mares, 2900 lbs.; thirty head of cattle including cows, also farm implements.

### DOES BACKACHE WORRY YOU?

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How many people suffer from an aching back?

How few know the cause?

If it hurts to stoop or lift—

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Mary Pickford in

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## CITY AND COUNTY

Chris. Orr of Prentice was trading in the city Friday.  
Coy Swain of Sinclair was in the city on business Friday.  
John Lyons of Franklin was a visitor in the city Friday.

Felix Gordon of Murrayville made a trip to the city yesterday.  
William Bourn of Sinclair was a visitor in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. Joseph Miller was in the city yesterday from Mt. Sterling.

Roy Hudson of White Hall was a traveler to the city yesterday.  
Reuben Corson of Ashland was a traveler to the city yesterday.  
Fred Jewsbury of Markham was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Cade of Murrayville journeyed to the city yesterday.  
William Berchold of Alexander was shopping in the city Friday.  
Michael Doolin of Woodson was a visitor yesterday with city friends.

Thomas O'Connell of Woodson vicinity was a city caller yesterday.  
R. F. Denny of Keokuk was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.  
Hal Naylor was among the city arrivals yesterday from Mercedosa.

Mrs. Thomas Savage of Ashland was visitor yesterday in the city.  
Don't forget the cute little Suet land pony with bridle and saddle ready to ride to be sold at Joy's sale March 3rd.

Ross Vandevanter of Mt. Sterling was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.  
T. M. McLaughlin was a visitor in the city yesterday from Woodson.  
Louis Fisher of Waverly was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith of Woodson were Friday visitors in the city.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood of Pisgah were visitors in the city Friday.  
C. F. Kyle of Shumwell was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Paul Moore of Carlville was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.  
Floyd Kessinger was a representative of Carlville in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. L. A. Angier helped swell the list of shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

You will enjoy hearing C. C. Judy and Col. Taylor cry Joy's sale March 3rd.  
Theodore Lukeman of the vicinity of Franklin was in the city trading Friday.  
Miss Mamie Herring of Winchester is a visitor with her brother, Harry Herring at his home on Sandusky street.

Mrs. John Rubie and daughter of New Berlin were shopping in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sooy of Murrayville were visitors in the city Friday.  
Miss Leta Harris of Pittsfield was among the Friday visitors in Jacksonville.  
Mrs. Mary Logdon of Versailles was among the Friday visitors in the city.

If you want brood mares come to C. E. Joy's sale March 3rd.  
Frank Sooy of Murrayville was in Jacksonville yesterday on matters of business.  
Earl Spink is at home after spending a week in Danville on business.

A. A. Curry of Pisgah precinct was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eckhoff of Chapin were calling on city people yesterday.  
Mortgage for sale—\$3,500, 6 per cent Morgan county land. F. L. Hargrove.

J. A. Wade of Griggsville called on some of his Jacksonville friends yesterday.  
Amos Swain and son, Albert were representatives of Sinclair in the city yesterday.  
William Ryan of Franklin was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Hubbs of Prentice made a journey down to the city yesterday.  
M. Boatman of Carlville was a visitor yesterday in the city for a few hours.  
D. M. Perry & Co., celebrated lawn grass seed at Weber's.

William Paul of Woodson was a visitor yesterday with some of his city friends.  
George Sturdy, Jr. of the vicinity of Lynnville, was a visitor in the city Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Argenbreicht and son were city callers yesterday from Chambersburg.

John Oxley of the Durbin neighborhood was a business caller in the city yesterday.  
L. K. Foreman of Pittsfield was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. C. F. Duckett of Chapin was among the shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Black of Alexander were among the shoppers in the city Friday.  
D. M. Perry & Co., celebrated lawn grass seed at Weber's.  
Mrs. Thomas Meehan of the city of Bluffs made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Floyd O'Keefe of Springfield was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.  
W. J. Bown of Murrayville was among the Friday business callers in the Chesterfield.  
Mrs. W. H. Wright expected to go to Chicago today to visit her daughter for a few weeks.

William Tarzwell of the vicinity of Buckhorn was a business caller in the city yesterday.  
Fresh country eggs, 20 cents a dozen at Weber's.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker of Scottville were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Frank Maddox of South Main street has returned from an extended sojourn in Florida.  
F. H. Jewsbury of the vicinity of Markham was among the business men in the city yesterday.  
Miss Belle Turner of Alexander has gone to Beardstown for a week-end visit with her parents.

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R. H. Kraatz of the city of Mercedosa was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville business men.

Harry Hansmeier of the vicinity of Joy Prairie was a visitor with city business men yesterday.  
William Cleary of the northeast part of the county was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Cox of the southeast part of the county was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.  
Rose Stainforth of the southwest part of the county was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Misses Ida and Lola Anderson of Clark were numbered among the arrivals in the city yesterday.  
Miss Hazel Reid of Springfield, is a guest at the home of Miss Gladys Sargent on South East street.

Master Lee William Fulton of New Berlin spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strawn of Alexander.  
Edward Tindall of the east part of the county was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beckman of the vicinity of Pisgah were among the callers in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. Lucy B. Beebe of Indianapolis, is a guest at the home of Miss Grace Rapp on South East street.

Mr. and Mrs. James McGuire of the northwestern part of the county were shoppers in the city yesterday.  
That Peaberry coffee at 25c lb., continues to please. Try it. Claus Tea Co.

Miss Lena Megginson of Woodson was in the city yesterday on her way to Chicago for a visit with friends.  
Miss Madeline Ashbaugh of Waverly is enjoying a visit of a few days with Miss Lucille Farrow on East College street.

Ray Black is moving his household effects to a residence on the southeast corner of Clay avenue and East College street.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Baker of Pawnee, Sangamon county, are guests at the home of H. D. Atkins on North Webster avenue.

John W. Rogers of Joliet and Earl Rogers of Decatur are in the city to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Mary E. Rogers.  
Mrs. Walter B. Rogers and daughter, Miss Mabel, have gone to Franklin for a visit of a few days at the homes of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams of Roodhouse were in the city yesterday on their way to Chandlerville to attend the funeral of a friend.  
J. Stewart with the clothing store of J. M. Tomlinson has moved his residence from 133 Eldridge avenue to 228 Reed street not far from Capps factory.

William Gaines has returned from New York City where he has been for two years with his brother, running a taxicab. He will probably remain in the west.  
Miss Mabel Carter and two brothers helped represent Hillview at the basketball tournament yesterday and one of the boys showed his good judgment by buying a suit of clothes while in the city.

Fresh country eggs, 20 cents a dozen at Weber's.  
Mrs. A. H. Coffman and Miss M. J. Dunn have returned from Chicago where they have been in the interests of the millinery department of the Floreth dry goods house.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bonansinga were expected home last night from their extended tour of the south including Memphis, Mobile, New Orleans and the Mardi Gras and other points.  
Mrs. Elizabeth Stebbins was expected last evening from an extended stay in Chicago. She suffered an accident while at the home of Mrs. Charles Braznell and was unable to travel for a considerable period.

Miss Carolyn Smith, who for the past few weeks has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith, expected to make her return to Chicago this morning. Miss Smith does not expect to visit Jacksonville again before July.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Coultas and daughter Bernice were visitors in the city yesterday from Scott county. Mr. Coultas said the roads were quite good though not ready yet for automobiles. He found the hill on the west side of the mound a bit spongy.

Dr. E. V. Heaton of Kalamazoo, Mich., was in the city Friday calling on some of his many friends. He will go to Lynnville, his former home to spend a few days at the homes of his brothers, who are residents of that neighborhood and is to locate on a farm he recently purchased in the neighborhood.

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Table oilcloth, marble or fancies, 1 1/2 yd. wide . . . . .	18c	8 1/2c for 36 in. yard wide long fold percale, worth 10c.
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72 in. 85c quality heavy silver bleached table linen . . . . .	79c	5c for apron gingham, fast colors, worth 6 1/2c.
Best standard muscos, all colors . . . . .	5c	New chiffon collars and vests . . . . . 25c and 50c
Children's black fast color fine ribbed hose, sizes 5 to 9 1/2 . . . . .	25c	

## Baby Animal Blankets, in Blue and Pink

80c now, former price \$1.00.	\$5.00 for all wool blankets, former price \$7.00.
60c now, former price 75c.	\$4.00 for all wool blankets, former price \$5.50.
40c now, former price 50c.	\$2.80 for all wool blankets, former price \$3.50.
15c for white crinkle plissa for ladies' undergarments, worth 20c.	Brooks silky mercerized crochet cotton, all colors . . . . . 5c
5c for yard wide bleached and unbleached muslin, worth 6 1/2c.	Clark's O. N. T. pearl cotton, all colors . . . . . 10c

D. M. C. Coats' mercerized and Clark's O. N. T. crochet cotton in all colors.

## New Spring Millinery. WAIT!

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21c for ladies' fine fleeced pants or vests, bleached or cream, all sizes 34 to 44, cheap at 25c.	10c for New Ideal patterns; seam allowing; truest cutting pattern now sold 10c—None higher.
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Mrs. Anna McClain Sankey Appears Friday Evening in Expression Program of More Than Ordinary Variety and Range.

Mrs. Anna McClain Sankey of St. Louis appeared last evening in a complimentary recital at Illinois Woman's college which by all present was acclaimed a most pleasing success. In a voice remarkable for its range and power, she gave a program of wide emotional appeal. With pathos and with humor she seemed equally at home. Mrs. Sankey is especially strong in the rendition of dialect, but her entire program is worthy of high compliment and in no detail of voice or technique was she remiss.

Mrs. Sankey is on the faculty of the Morse school of Expression, St. Louis, and is instructor also in the state school for the blind in that city. As the guest of Mrs. Rosalind M. Day, she was Friday evening tendered a dinner at which Miss Mabel Louis Gleckler was hostess. At this dinner there were present twelve members of the Woman's college faculty. The numbers in Mrs. Sankey's interpretative recital follow:

The Custom of the Country—Thomas Mason.  
What your Mother Ait in the Long Ago—Mortimer Lewis.  
Mammy's Song—Harriet Ware.  
Dat Fascinat' Man—Mary Monieure Parker.  
Nurse Scene—Romeo and Juliet—William Shakespeare.  
My Wild White Rose—Anon.  
The Nightingale and the Rose—Oscar Wilde.  
If no one ever marries me—Liza Boman.  
Call to Colors—Sarah Bonomet Kennedy.  
The Housekeeper—Margaret Wild, demer.  
One Way of Love—Robert Brown.

Maggie McCarthy at the Beauty Parlor—Mary Monieure Parker.  
The Lily and the Blue Bell—Anon.  
When we Haven's said our Prayers—Paul Bliss.

## ARCADIA.

Mrs. Levi Deatherage of Arcadia entertained the members of the I. O. O. F. lodge at their lodge room, Saturday night in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary, surprising him. Refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served to which all did justice.

Miss Lela Claussen, the teacher at White Oak Grove spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Deatherage.

Mrs. Fred Rudisill entertained a company of young folks Monday evening, in honor of Miss Naomi Todd of Springfield, who is visiting her, "Rook" was played and later the hostess served palatable refreshment.

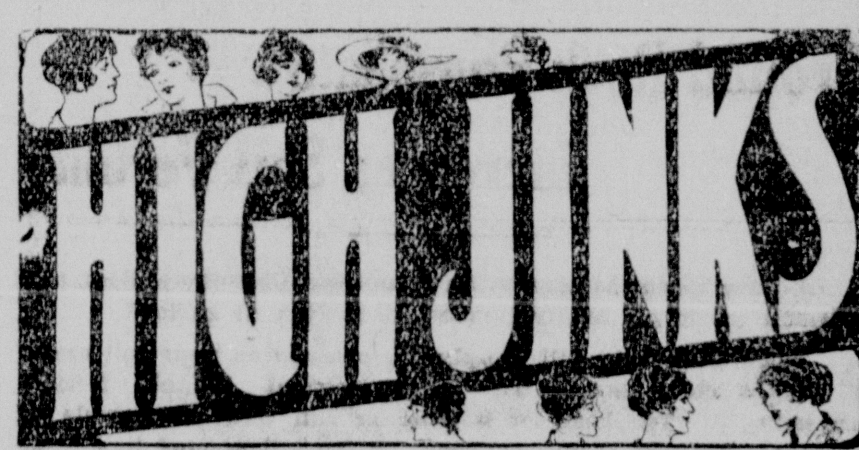
An old fashioned candy pulling was enjoyed and all departed feeling they had spent a very pleasant evening. Those present were Ellen Deatherage, Jessie Rudisill, Deslie Branon, Cora Rudisill, Ruth Deatherage, Miss Todd, Clyde Rudisill and Barbara Hart Challiner.

The Misses Ellen and Ruth Deatherage entertained Misses Cora and Jessie Rudisill, Lela Claussen and Barbara Hart Challiner at dinner Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rudisill and family spent Sunday at Concord with Mrs. Rudisill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Delaney.  
Officers were recently elected at Arcadia Sunday school:  
Superintendent—Barbara Hart Challiner.  
Secretary—Clyde Rudisill.  
Treasurer—Deslie Branon.  
Organist—Barbara Hart Challiner.

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Assistant Organist—Jessie Rudisill.

The Sunday school is engaged in a contest. Much interest is shown and the attendance has materially increased.

Miss Lillie Linnd was hostess to a number of young people at her home Wednesday evening. Music, games and contest were the diversions for which prizes were given. Mrs. Barbara Challiner and Georgia Litter winning them. A delicious luncheon was served after which more music was enjoyed. The guests departed after they had spent a most enjoyable evening. Those present were: Barbara H. Challiner, Ellen Deatherage, Earl Young, Jessie Rudisill, Floyd Goodpasture, Della Goodpasture, Nathan Carpenter, Ruth Deatherage, Edmund Dinwiddie, Georgia Litter, Ivan Bateman, Lillie Bateman, Hugh Lindsay, Hannah Young, Lloyd Ogle, Cora Rudisill, Roscoe Goodpasture, Edith Lindsay, Russel Ogle, Alma Ogle, Lillie Linnd.

**ANOTHER BIG SALE.**  
on homemade peanut and taffy candy at 10 cents the lb. at Vickery & Merrigan's today only.

**ANTIOCH SUNDAY SCHOOL.**  
Antioch Sunday school will meet Sunday morning at 10:30 and officers will be elected at this service. It is hoped that all in the community who do not attend elsewhere will come and help make this a good live Sunday school. J. R. Hastings will address the meeting this Sunday and assist in the organization. A welcome to all is heartily given.

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### ZELL'S GROCERY

## FIRST DAY'S PLAYING OF WESTERN DIVISION BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

### EIGHT TEAMS WERE ELIMINATED AS THE RESULT OF INITIAL ENCOUNTERS FOR HONORS FRIDAY

Fourteen Hundred People Witness Games In the Evening and Enthusiasm Runs High—Competition for This Morning's Contest Is Keen—Griggsville and Springfield Loom Up Strong as Champion Contenders for Final Tonight.

Yesterday's Winners.  
White Hall 39; Carlville 13.  
Springfield 31; Hillview 10.  
Carthage 7; Lewistown 49.  
Quincy 77; Chandlerville 12.  
Virginia 22; White Hall 40.  
Jacksonville 36; Astoria 15.  
Canton 14; Griggsville 36.  
Petersburg 11; Pawnee 19.  
Mt. Sterling 11; Pittsfield 34.

How They Play Today.

8 a. m.—Springfield vs. Lewistown.

9 a. m.—Quincy vs. White Hall.

11 a. m.—Pittsfield vs. Pawnee.

1:30 p. m.—Winner of game 10 plays winner of game 11.

2:30 p. m.—Winner of game 12 plays winner of game 13.

7:30 p. m.—Loser of game 11 plays loser of game 15.

8:30 p. m.—Championship game.

Teams Eliminated Friday.

Carlville.  
Hillview.  
Carthage.  
Chandlerville.  
Virginia.  
Astoria.  
Canton.  
Mt. Sterling.  
Petersburg.

The Western Division of the Illinois High School Athletic association was held Friday in the High School gymnasium, under the management of the Jacksonville High school. There were seventeen schools in the meeting and the players together with the friends, who accompanied the various teams, swelled the attendance to large proportions. Jacksonville has long been known as a basketball town so that the attendance was large considering the first day. The game between Illinois college and Carthage college increased the attendance at night and it was estimated that the evening games were witnessed by 1400 fans.

The committee on arrangements had perfected everything so that the first day's program went off without a hitch. The crowd was orderly throughout the day and the work of the officials, Messrs. William Duerr and Frank Rand was highly satisfactory.

#### JACKSONVILLE A WINNER

Defeats Astoria in Fast Game by a Score of 36 to 15—Will Play Griggsville Today.

Taking a strong lead in the first half, Jacksonville High school won her first game of the Tournament against Astoria, 36 to 15. The local lads never played better and they were pitted against a strong team, who played hard and fast. The Astoria players were all big men and in the scrambles were able to win out but when ever they moved the ball near to goal they were so closely guarded that the baskets could not be shot. At the end of the first half the score was 20 to 8 in favor of J. H. S. The particular aggressive player for Astoria was Cooley right forward. Mayer, right forward for Jacksonville displayed a good eye for baskets, getting six of them while Ricks, who played the other forward found time to drop four in the basket and got two free throws. Swain and Boxell also put up a good fight. Substitutes were put in as the game advanced in order to save the regular team men for the game tomorrow against Griggsville.

The score:  
Astoria FB FT TP  
Parks, c ..... 1 0 2  
Cooley, rf ..... 2 4 8  
Fearnon, lf ..... 1 3 5  
Beucy, rg ..... 0 0 0  
Moody, lg ..... 0 0 0  
Totals ..... 4 7 15

Jacksonville FB FT TP  
Mayer, rf ..... 6 0 12  
Ricks, lf ..... 4 2 10  
Reynolds, c ..... 0 0 0  
Swain, rg ..... 3 2 8  
Boxell, rg ..... 2 0 4  
Meyers, f, c ..... 1 0 2  
Tomlinson, c ..... 0 0 0  
Killbrew, f ..... 0 0 0  
Totals ..... 16 4 36

#### WHITE HALL WINS OPENER

Carlville Quintet Bows to Visitors From Greene County By a Score of 13 to 39.

When the curtain was raised for the opening game of the tournament the basketball fans saw White Hall and Carlville teams facing each other. It was a good fight between the squads. White Hall winning by a score of 39 to 13. For a few minutes after the game started it seemed as though the teams were

A conference of the principals, coaches and other officials was held in the morning and the rules governing the tournament were discussed, and the points which often come up in playing the game were fully explained and understood among all.

During the day, lunch was served and at noon and at night a cafeteria lunch was served in the domestic science rooms. Some splendid music was furnished by the High School band during the intermission of the games, under the direction of Fred Goodrick.

The audience was requested to cooperate with the management in extending every possible courtesy to competing teams and not to let their enthusiasm interfere with the work of any team or official. The new gymnasium proved a popular place with the visiting students and all were pleased, not only with the gym but also with the entire building. The hotels were filled with the various teams and a number of the guests had friends in the city with whom they staid.

#### Who Will Win Meet.

Today will witness some interesting contests, and some fast playing. Speculation is rife as to the winner of the tournament. Springfield looks strong and its race with Lewistown will be a spirited one, with Springfield, perhaps, having a little of the advantage. Quincy ought not to have much trouble in downing White Hall, while the Jacksonville and Griggsville game promises to be a nip and tuck affair. Some of Jacksonville's regular men are out of the game, which will somewhat lessen their chances of winning. The contest will be watched with intense interest. Pittsfield looks a winner of Pawnee. With these four teams competing this morning for the two games of the afternoon, the following teams look probable, Springfield, Quincy, Griggsville or Jacksonville and Pittsfield. If Springfield comes through with the morning game it looks like that town will fight it out at night for the final honors with Griggsville. The game at seven-thirty between the losers of the two afternoon games will decide who is winner of second honors. Shortly before 7:30 there will be a game between the Featherweights and Midgets. This game will probably last ten minutes.

pretty evenly matched but White Hall soon took the lead and at the end of the first half had the score 23 to 10. Morris was the best all-round player for Carlville while Atterberry proved the star for White Hall, and Baldwin center was also point winner. The two men got off some very clever passing receiving the glad hand from the big crowd.

The score:  
Carlville F. B. F. T. T. P.  
Carlville, rf ..... 0 2 2  
Kessner, rg ..... 0 0 0  
Morris, c ..... 4 0 8  
Busey, lg ..... 0 1 1  
Boatman, lg ..... 1 0 2  
Totals ..... 5 3 13

White Hall F. B. F. T. T. P.  
Atterberry, f ..... 8 1 17  
Thodes, f ..... 5 4 11  
Baldwin, c ..... 4 3 11  
Culbertson, g ..... 0 0 0  
Gardner, g ..... 0 0 0  
Totals ..... 17 5 39

#### WHITE HALL A VICTOR.

Takes Virginia Into Camp to Tune of 40 to 22.

White Hall, the winner of the morning game against Carlville played Virginia at 2:30 in the afternoon, defeating them by a score of 40 to 22. While Virginia put up a plucky game they found a worthy foe in the Greene county lads, whose guards are a big factor in their playing.

The score:  
White Hall FB FT TP  
Atterberry, rf ..... 11 1 23  
Rhodes, lf ..... 5 1 11  
Baldwin, c ..... 3 1 7  
Culbertson, rg ..... 0 0 0  
Gardner, lg ..... 0 0 0  
Totals ..... 19 3 41

Virginia FB FT TP  
Timmerman, rg ..... 2 6 10  
Arnold, lg ..... 2 0 4  
Campbell, c ..... 3 0 6  
Natch, rg ..... 0 0 0  
Cline, lg ..... 1 0 2  
Totals ..... 8 6 22

#### QUINCY EASY WINNER.

Defeats Chandlerville, 77 to 13—Kuchman Stars at Center.

With Kuchman starring at center, the Quincy basketball team had no trouble in defeating Chandlerville by a score of 77 to 13. Kuchman made 20 free baskets and three free

throws. Rudy left forward also put up a good game. That Chandlerville was doomed was evidenced from the score in the first half which was 40 to 7 in favor of Quincy. Chandlerville guards were not able to stop the fast work of the Adams county lads.

The score:  
Quincy FB FT TP  
Gieser, rf ..... 2 4 4  
Rudy, lf ..... 11 0 22  
Kuchman, c ..... 20 3 43  
Wich, rg ..... 0 0 0  
O'Donnell, lg ..... 2 0 4  
Stoors, rf ..... 2 0 4  
Lemon, rg ..... 0 0 0

Totals ..... 37 3 77  
Chandlerville FB FT TP  
Allison, rg ..... 1 0 2  
Sams, lg ..... 0 0 0  
Snell, c ..... 0 0 0  
Lewis, rf ..... 3 0 6  
Phelps, lf ..... 2 0 4

Totals ..... 6 0 12  
Chandlerville awarded one point.

#### LEWISTOWN WINS GAME.

Defeats Carthage Five by Score of 48 to 7.

Lewistown had no trouble in defeating Carthage, the score being 48 to 7. Carthage was only able to make two points in the first half against Lewistown's 27. A disruption in the Carthage team just prior to their coming to the tournament accounts for their low score in a measure, the majority of the players being second string men. In Ray and Harrison the fans witnessed two of the biggest guards in the tournament and Kenney as a forward did brilliant work getting thirteen baskets.

The score:  
Carthage FB FT TP  
Booz, lf ..... 1 0 2  
Bertr, rf ..... 1 1 3  
Kirkpatrick, c ..... 0 0 0  
Whitcomb, g ..... 0 0 0  
Sargent, g ..... 0 0 0  
Hartzell, g ..... 1 0 2  
Totals ..... 3 1 7

Lewistown FB FT TP  
Kennedy, f ..... 13 0 26  
Arnet, f ..... 5 0 10  
Beadles, c ..... 5 1 11  
Ray, g ..... 0 0 0  
Harrison, g ..... 0 0 0  
Totals ..... 23 1 47  
Lewistown was awarded one point.

#### GRIGGSVILLE WINS CONTEST FROM CANTON

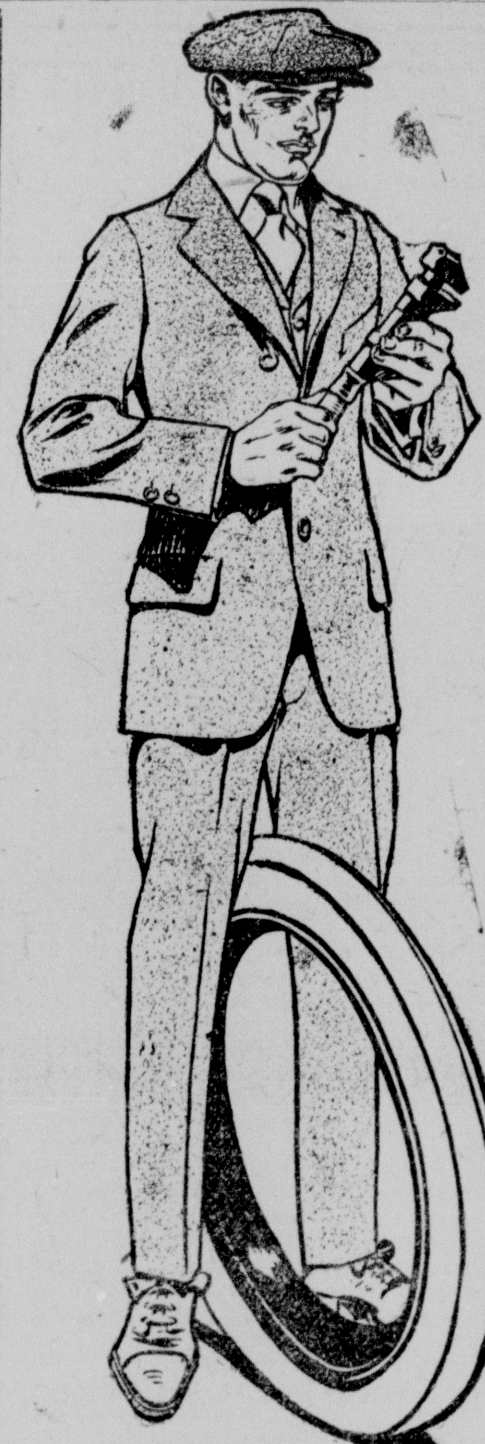
Pike County Five Play Fast Game Against Opponents Winning 36 to 14.

Some of the tournament dope was upset when Canton fell before Griggsville, 14 to 36. Griggsville outclassed their opponents. Canton appeared good in all parts of the game except in shooting baskets. They would work the ball down to shooting distance but the shots were wild and uncertain. Especially in the second half did Griggsville pull away from the Fulton county lads.

The score:  
Griggsville FB FT TP  
Farrend, lf ..... 7 10 24  
McHose, rf ..... 4 1 9  
Stead, c ..... 0 0 0  
Brierly, rg ..... 0 0 0  
Taylor, lg ..... 1 0 2  
Totals ..... 12 11 35  
Griggsville was awarded one point.

Canton FB FT TP  
Harmon, lf ..... 0 0 0  
Rogers, rf ..... 3 0 6  
Murphy, c ..... 0 4 4  
Ingrum, lg ..... 0 0 0  
Heaps, rg ..... 1 0 2  
Tendick, c ..... 1 0 2  
Totals ..... 5 4 14

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## Note These Figures

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### FEDERALS SELECT APRIL 10 AS OPENING DATE OF PLAYING SEASON

Magnates Go Ahead With Schedule Work With the Expectation That Newark Will Complete Line-up—Umpires Recommend Minor Changes.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The selection of April 10th, as the opening date of the Federal League's playing season, two days in advance of the first games in the other major baseball leagues, and the recommendation by the umpires of some minor changes in the playing rules, marked the opening sessions of the league's annual schedule meeting here today. Although the injunction proceedings instituted at Chicago against the transfer of the Kansas City franchise to Newark prevented the formal adoption of a schedule, the magnates went ahead with their work with the expectation that Newark would be the eighth team in this year's line-up. The tentative schedule provides for Newark to open at Baltimore, Buffalo at Brooklyn and Indianapolis at Chicago at home with St. Louis and Pittsburgh as the contending teams.

D. J. Huff, A. F. Gordon and Arthur G. Black, representing the Kansas City owners, registered at the hotel where the league meetings were held but did not seek recognition at today's sessions. The belief was expressed that a way would be found to adjust the dispute before the date set for the hearing before the circuit court in Chicago.

"It looks like a pretty favorable sign," said president James A. Gilmore, "when federal clubs begin fighting for franchises. In fact, federal affairs all around look mighty good to me for 1915."

The new rules recommended by the umpires provide for a fine of \$200 and 30 days suspension for pitchers using the "emery ball" and would rule out of play a ball batted foul that strikes any part of the grandstand or passes into foul territory beyond first or third base, the latter rule being designed to prevent delay.

### COLLECTOR PICKERING ISSUES INCOME TAX WARNING

Urges That Returns Be Made By Monday, March 1st Even if Defective and Incomplete in Order to Avoid Penalties.

J. L. Pickering of Springfield, internal revenue collector, yesterday issued the following letter to newspapers asking that a final note of warning be given to citizens about income tax returns:

"There is no disposition on the part of the government to assess penalties against taxpayers, and this office is very solicitous that the necessity for assessing penalties should not occur. It will be a favor to taxpayers if you will publish the fact that:

"All income tax returns must be in my office in Springfield on March 1st or penalties will be assessed. If returns are incomplete or defective send them in anyhow. Corrections may be made after the return has been received by me. It is very important that every return from corporations and individuals should be received not later than March 1st. This does not mean in the local postoffice on March 1st. It means in the office of the collector on March 1st. If in doubt, make a return. In 1914 over five hundred persons paid penalties for failure to make return—they thought they were not liable.

"Also, under the anti-narcotic law—I should like to especially warn druggists, practicing physicians, dentists, and veterinary surgeons, that their applications and remittances must be received by me not later than March 1st. Very severe penalties will be assessed against all those who neglect or fail to do this. The penalty for failure is a fine of \$2,000, and imprisonment for not exceeding five years, or both, for neglect to have application and remittance in my office not later than March 1st.

"There are probably 200 persons in Sangamon county who have not yet made returns under the income tax law and the anti-narcotic act. There are approximately 400 in Adams county, 350 in McLean county, 150 in Macon county, 100 in Fulton county, 500 in Vermilion county, 175 in Champaign county, 150 in Coles county, 100 in Tazewell county, and 125 in Logan county, who have not yet made returns, and there are not less than 100 in each of the other counties in this collection district."

### AT LABOR TEMPLE.

Grant Hamilton, an organizer for the American Federation of Labor, addressed a public meeting at Trades' Assembly hall Thursday night which was well attended, not only by members of the labor unions but others as well.

Mr. Hamilton is an organizer for the American Federation of Labor, and is one of a number of speakers now traveling through the states addressing public gatherings. His address here was devoted principally to an explanation of the purpose of the federation and a resume of what the organization has accomplished. He pointed out that many of the laws secured through federation influence have benefited not only the members of the labor bodies but eventually have proven of great value to the public at large. Mr. Hamilton is a member of the typographical union in Denver, Col., and is so well informed on the subject he presented at the meeting here that his address was heard with great interest.

### EUROPEAN WAR NOTES

Kiel, via London, Feb. 26.—(9:50 p. m.)—Admiral Von Ingenohl, commander of the German high sea fleet has been removed from his post and sent from Kiel to Berlin. It is rumored that Prince Henry of Prussia will take his place.

Berlin, Feb. 26.—via London, (8:57 p. m.)—It was ascertained today that the point at which the Carib was sunk was ten miles west of Nordeney Island off the Prussian coast. The disaster occurred at 11 o'clock on the morning of Feb. 22nd. The ship sank quickly. No information has been obtained why the Carib was following this course.

The two Spaniards who lost their lives were Antonio Martinez, a coal trimmer and Segunda Blaz, both residents of Corunna, Spain.

Paris, Feb. 26.—(5:57 p. m.)—An official communication issued by the French minister of marine today confirms the announcement of the demolition of the forts guarding the entrance to the Dardanelles and says that mine dragging operations are now proceeding in the Straits. The communication follows:

"The bombardment of the forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles was resumed from a great distance yesterday at eight o'clock in the morning. This was followed by bombardment at shorter range. Four forts were completely destroyed. One of them was entirely fortified by the Germans.

"Mine dragging in the straits is being effected under the protection of the armored and other cruisers of the combined fleet."

Paris, Feb. 26.—(5:55 p. m.)—The Athens correspondent of the Havas agency sends the following despatch regarding the bombardment of the forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles by the French and British fleets:

"News received from the island of Tenedos last says that the bombardment of the Dardanelles continued with violence from nine o'clock in the morning until six in the evening. The fire from the fort was intense during part of the day but diminished and ceased before nightfall."

Frankfurt, Germany, via London, Feb. 26.—(11 p. m.)—Emperor William has bestowed the decoration of the Iron Cross on Enver Pasha, Turkish minister of war according to the Constantinople correspondent of the Frankfurt Zeitung, the minister has telegraphed his warmest thanks to the emperor.

Paris, via London, Feb. 26.—(11:50 p. m.)—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"There has been cannonading along the whole of the front. In the Champagne district our progress has been continued to the north of Meuse. After taking two successive lines of trenches we reached the crest of the undulating ground occupied by the Germans.

"Further to the west we extended our operations by the conquest of an important fraction of the enemy's lines.

"From the Argonne to the Vosges there is nothing to report."

Vienna, Feb. 26.—via London, (11:50 p. m.)—The official communication issued tonight follows: "Violent artillery engagements are proceeding in the Sectors, east of Przeczborz in Russian Poland. Along the rest of the front, north of the Vistula and in East Galicia, comparative calm prevails. The enemy's attacks in the Carpathians on our positions north of the Velovec ridge and in the Ondava Valley were unsuccessful.

"In storming heights during battles in southeast Galicia, 1,240 Russians were captured."

### CHURCH NOTICE.

Jacksonville Circuit.  
Hebron Sunday school—9:30 a. m.  
Public worship 10:30 a. m.  
Shiloh Sunday school—9:30 a. m.  
Public worship 2:30 p. m.  
Salem Sunday school—10 a. m.  
H. F. Cusick, pastor.

### WOMAN'S CIVIC LEAGUE.

The Woman's Civic League will hold a meeting this afternoon in the public library. Woman's part in civil life and politics will be discussed by Miss Ruby Neville and Mrs. D. W. Reid and several of the women who served as judges on registration day will relate their experiences.

John Tucker of Beardstown was a visitor in the city yesterday.

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### CONSERVATIVE BUYING TEMPER OPTIMISM IN TRADE SITUATIONS

There is no Disposition to Speculate as to the Future—War Orders Decrease Idleness.

New York, Feb. 26.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Renewed expansion in trade especially in the southwest, further speeding up in industrial operation and excellent advices as to winter wheat go hand in hand with optimism, which, however, is tempered by conservative buying. There is no disposition to speculate as to the future, partly because it is deemed prudent to wait for expansion in the curtailed purchasing power of those dependent upon industrial operations and partly because banks are carefully scrutinizing credits, even though money is cheap. With war orders furnishing activity to a number of lines, idleness has decreased. Many ammunition plants are working double time; shipbuilding yards face months of activity; automobile shops especially those making commercial cars for use in the European war zone, are speeding up and certain branches of the machine tool industry are swamped with war orders.

"Railway earnings are showing up better and January reports taken collectively, are likely to present a more pleasing view.

"Bank clearings for the week (five days), aggregated \$2,509,406,000, a decrease of 7.6 per cent as compared with the like week last year.

"Business failures for the week were 400 compared with 260 last year.

"In Canada commercial failures number 59 against 49 a year ago."

### MEREDOSIA.

The members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society having birthdays in the months of January and February entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Unland. The meeting was called the order by Mrs. S. A. McIntosh, the scripture lesson was read by the president, Mrs. W. G. Looman. Mrs. Wiley Thompson favored the society with a reading after which the mystery box questions were used. The program closed with a selection by a ladies quartet composed of Mesdames W. G. Looman, O. W. Gould, James McLain and J. H. Looman.

Elaborate refreshments were then served. The hostesses were: Mesdames S. A. McIntosh, George Hyde, Harry LeFevre, R. B. Fields, Geo. Unland, O. W. Gould, Lou Stark, W. A. Steplin and Miss Grace Hinners. The offering amounted to six dollars. The regular monthly business meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Luther Rice Wednesday afternoon, March 3rd.

Emil Brockhouse, Oscar Wilcox, Royal Kratz and Lou Berger, H. L. Lake and W. J. Hale were Beardstown visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Charlie Strawn of Alexander was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomason Wednesday.

Mrs. George Williams is confined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams with an attack of scarlet fever.

The public sale of Fred Wellenkamp, four and one-half miles northeast of here last Tuesday was well attended. Mr. Wellenkamp and family expected to leave soon for Junction City, Wis., to reside.

B. C. Heffner returned Thursday from Beardstown where he has been visiting his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. David Leohnard bought their little daughter, Imogene home from the Passavant hospital, Jacksonville Tuesday evening. The little one has been seriously ill for the past two weeks but is improving slowly.

Monday last, as Charles, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tropp was eating, in some manner he cut his tongue severely with a silver fork which he had in his hand at the time. Dr. J. H. McIntosh was called and attended to the injury and although the little one has suffered very much since the accident occurred he is improving.

Joseph Schmitt visited his granddaughter, Esther James at Dr. Day's hospital Thursday.

A baby boy weighing eight and one-half pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Naylor Thursday. Miss M. Heatherly of La Grange, Mo., arrived Thursday and will be the trimmer in the new millinery establishment of Mr. William Summers and Miss Lola Barbers.

Edward Cody was a Jacksonville visitor Wednesday. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Arthur Cody and three children who will be guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cody until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wilday are the proud parents of a nine pound baby boy born to them Tuesday.

### INJURED HIS ARM.

Thomas Donnelly of 703 East College avenue, and who is employed at the Jacksonville Packing company's plant received a severe wound in his left forearm Friday morning while engaged in the dressing room at the plant. He was pulling the hoofs from the feet of a dressed hog, and using an iron hook when the hook slipped and caught in the fleshy part of Mr. Donnelly's arm, causing a severe wound. He was taken to the office of Dr. A. M. King who gave the needed attention and found it necessary to take a number of stitches to close the wound.

### PISCATAWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school at 10 a. m., and morning service at 11 o'clock, with preaching by the pastor, the Rev. W. J. Rainey. There will be no service Sunday evening.

**M**OST any one can advertise an article and advertise it as new, but we notice it is hard for them to show anything that we haven't shown the season before. Our

## Spring Hats

are creations that you will find only here, and we ask you to see them if you want to see something new and different.

## LUKEMAN BROS.

West Side Square

## A. Smith, Sure Winner

Regardless of who is elected March 9th, I will place my entire stock at the mercy of the buying public at a wonderful sacrifice. Already my new line of Men's Low Shoes are in and to introduce them I will place them on sale with the balance of my highgrade Ladies', Gent's and Children's Shoes.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Superior \$5 and \$6 grade \$2.90	<input type="checkbox"/> \$3.50 patents and dills, do tips and leather, \$2.85	<input type="checkbox"/> For the little fellows at cost	<input type="checkbox"/> Bring in the girls. I will save you money. Everything at cost and lower.
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### SPEEDING ALONG

But yesterday I celebrated the advent of the glad new year (for which I watchfully had waited) and wore a smile from ear to ear. And now the almanac informs me the year's already six weeks gone, and soon this overcoat that warms me I shall be privileged to pawn. Oh, Time, when all the rest are fooling, and loafing through the golden days, along the highway you go tooling your tallyho and spectral bays. When all the rest are sweetly snoring, and human toil has known a slump, your wagon wheels go ripping, roaring, down, down to the eternal dump. We mortals labor in the daytime, a few brief hours, and then repose; we feel we ought to have our playtime, and see the moving picture shows. There is a lull in our endeavor, whenever we can find excuse, but you, oh, Time, rush on forever, rush on, like blitzen broken loose. You make us old, before we know it, impartially you swat us all; the priest, the plumber and the poet—from all of them you take a fall. Rest, Father Time, slow up your paces—you need a holiday quite bad—and you will please all tribes and races from Petroburg to Edinburg.



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Have you visited us there yet? It's particularly convenient for residents of the East Side.

Call in and see how neat and inviting everything is, study our meats and get our prices. All meat government inspected.

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Imported Norway Sardines in pure Olive Oil, the can .....11c  
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These are very fancy and a high class fish and sure to give satisfaction.

A good American Oil Sardine, the can .....4c  
A 1-2 lb. Kipperd Herring, the can .....13c  
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A very fancy Norway Sardine, in tomato sauce, the can .....10c  
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Mackerel, the fat kind, each .....10c  
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A large can Green Asparagus, the can .....23c  
Our line of fresh fish will be complete for the Lenten season. Cat, Croppie, Rock Bass, Perch and Buffalo. Phone your orders we deliver.

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The real satisfactory solution of the question is having THIS yard fill your bins with

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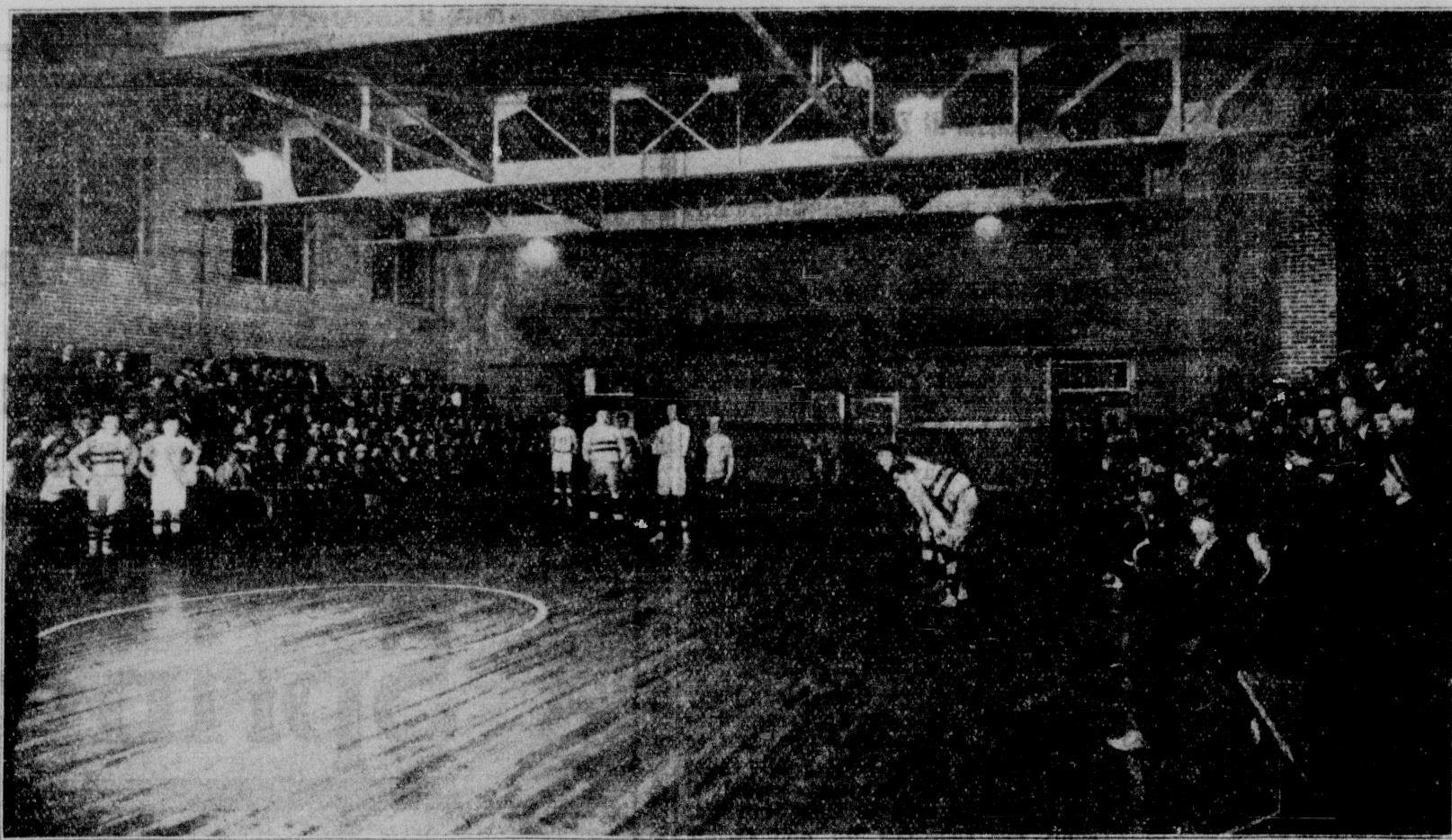
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### GROWING OATS NECESSARY EVEN IF PROFIT IS LOW

Crop Aids in Rotation and Fits in With Other Farm Activities—Some Points for Increasing Yields.

The seeming approach of spring has given added interest among farmers to the question of oat planting and treatment of seed to prevent smut. The agricultural department of the University of Illinois has issued a number of circulars on this subject and has strongly recommended the formalin treatment which was outlined recently in the Journal.

The agricultural extension department of Iowa state college, located at Ames, where W. H. Stevenson, formerly of this city, is one of the faculty, has just issued bulletin No. 23 with special reference to this subject. The bulletin is under the general heading of "Improving the Iowa Oat Crop" and was compiled by P. S. Taft. A copy of the bulletin was recently received by P. J. Eml and is somewhat more extensive than the bulletins issued in Illinois. It is set forth that the oat crop of Iowa makes but little profit and is often produced at an actual loss, but that oats must be grown for the following reasons:

First: crops must be rotated to maintain yield.

Second: nurse crops must be grown for clover and other legumes.

Third: oats are needed for feed.

Fourth: labor must be distributed.

For these reasons farmers are recognizing that since they must grow oats there should be a systematic study to improve production. Methods of improving the oat crop are simple and not expensive and if a few bushels can be added to the yield without materially increasing the expense, there is a great gain in profit. Here are some points indicated which can be carried out without the expenditure of much money or labor and which will improve the crop prospect.

Points on Seeding Oats.

First: Jan and grade seed.

Second: sow early.

Third: use early and medium varieties.

Fourth: prepare good seed bed.

Fifth: drill instead of broadcast.

Sixth: treat for smut.

Seventh: sow plenty of seed.

Eighth: shock well.

Ninth: stack to get best quality.

The average lot of seed oats is in great need of fanning and grading. Many small oats that would produce but little yield can be removed in this way. In other words, this process takes the bunnies out of the seed grain. A fanning mill should be a part of every farm equipment, also because it is valuable in ridding the farm of weeds. A chart presented in the bulletin gives the estimated cost of growing oats, based on figures furnished by 121 farmers. The figures show how very low is the net profit on oats from the acre basis:

Profits on Oats.

Seed \$1.30.

Preparing seed bed and seeding, \$1.16.

Harvesting, \$1.18.

Threshing, \$1.97.

Land rental, \$4.55.

Average yield, 33 bushels.

Average price, 23¢.

Net profit, after deducting expenses, \$1.56 per acre.

At the Iowa experiment station in a long series of tests it has been shown that early seeding is best and early and medium varieties have been proven desirable. Because of the rush of early spring work the seed bed for oats is likely to be neglected. All ground should be disced before seeding, especially if the drill is to be used. This will level off the ground, break up the crusty surface and lessen the interference with the shoots. In broadcasting seed the discs should be lapped halfway, which is equal to two discings, and then harrowed. If drilling, harrowing is all that is needed. A long series of tests at the Iowa experiment station has shown an average difference of 3.1 bushels in favor of drilling as against broadcast sowing. Loss from smut in oats runs from 75 per cent to as high as 90 per cent, and every man who fails to treat his seed risks a heavy loss.

Treatment for smut can be briefly summarized as follows:

First: spread oats on floor.

### GRACE CHURCH MEETINGS END FIRST WEEK WITH GOOD START

The Rev. P. Raymond Powers Will Come Next Week from Quincy to Assist—Rev. Mr. Miller Gives a Strong Sermon Last Night.

The services at Grace church at the end of the first week have reached a large number of the members and homes in the church with good results. The battle next week will be pressed with vigor every day.

The work of the groups instead of the cottage prayer meetings will afford time for visiting and personal work during the day. On Monday, Rev. P. Raymond Powers of Quincy will arrive to assist in the meetings until they close. He is an able man and is built on noble lines. He is strong physically, intellectually and spiritually.

Mr. Powers is a good singer and a strong and enthusiastic speaker. He will be a great help in the driving power of the meetings and in spiritual help of the services.

Last night Rev. Miller preached on the "Invitation of the Pilgrim."

At the close a very hopeful praise meeting was held. The four cottage prayer meetings were well attended and enthusiastic. Mrs. Julian Hall sang very effectively the song, "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me." A full day on Sunday beginning with the Sunday school is being planned and good results are expected.

**AEROPLANES DROP BOMBS ON MONTEREY**

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 26.—Public and private building in Monterey, capital of the Mexican state of Nuevo Leon, were targets today for two American aeroplanes pilots operating with General Pablo Gonzales, a Carranza leader, who is now attacking the city according to a Carranza message received in Los Angeles.

**BLOOD WILL TELL**

Paris, Feb. 26.—Many young men have been lost in France by the fact that their blood was out of order and impure when they started out in this campaign as soldiers at the front. Many of them never reached the battle line because they were taken sick in camp, due to stomach and bowel troubles, and with blood powerlessness to resist. Young men and old men in America should be just as watchful of their blood to see that it is pure, that their stomach is acting well and the liver active.

It takes lots of vitality, nervous force and strength to win a race. Blood must be pure and good.

Keep the nerves nourished, the heart strong, the head cool, the stomach vigorous, the liver active with a tonic which has stood the test of time and has a wide reputation, such as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the world's great Blood Purifier; it enters joints, dissolves the impure deposits, and carries them out, as it does all impurities, through the Liver, Bowels, Kidneys and Skin.

If you have indigestion, sluggish liver, backache over the kidneys, nasal or other Catarrh, unsteady nerves or unsightly skin get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery today and start at once to replace your impure blood with the kind that puts energy and ambition into you and brings back youth and vigorous action.—Advertisement.

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Any person desiring a copy of The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser before addition is exhausted should send this notice together with three dimes or stamps, to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and a copy will be sent by return mail, all charges prepaid.—Advertisement.

### BUTTER MAKERS MEET.

L. T. Potter returned yesterday from Centralia where he attended a meeting of the Illinois Butter Manufacturers' association, in session all day Thursday. Representatives were present from each of the three clubs formed in different sections of the state and a number of important topics came up for consideration. After April 1, it was decided to buy cream on a percentage basis only, grading with respect to butter fat and paying the producer for the actual fat content.

The delegates were entertained by the Centralia chamber of commerce and in the evening enjoyed an elaborate banquet which served as a fitting climax to a busy day.

Thomas Hopper and Ira Kiltner have gone to St. Louis for a visit of a few days.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**For Mayor.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.

H. J. Rodgers.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, March 9.

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U. G. Woodman.

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William F. Widmayer.

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C. R. Knollenberg.

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Francis A. Kaule.

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## Candidate for Commissioner



I am a candidate for City Commissioner. If elected, my whole time will be devoted to my duties as such official. I have long been a resident of Jacksonville and know thoroughly the city's needs and conditions. Conscientious performance of duty, strict guardianship of the rights of the people, economy and progress constitute my ideals of public service.

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The Amish people mix their feed at 4 o'clock each morning to feed at sun-up, they put the cookers in their barns on cement floors, and make a flue of double tile, 12 in. and 8 in. with cement between them, to pass through loft. This makes a good room in the barn to mend harness, etc.

Do not feed shelled corn alone to anything. It is too rich when cooked in my cookers, too much digestible protein and oil in it. To anyone who feeds cattle we will ship one on 30 days trial, so it will not cost you a cent to test it and all cattle feeders will find it saves them 1-2 their feed, and hold the gain on hogs commonly obtained with the syrup and oil drawn off the corn made into a slop.

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This is introduction No. 3 in the "Meeting Them Face to Face" series. Look for the next one and become better acquainted with "YOUR" Utilities Company.

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WANTED—Baby carriage, good re-  
pair. Address Baby Carriage, care  
Journal Office. . . . . 2-26-61

WANTED TO BUY—Few dozen  
white leghorn hens. F. J. Camp-  
bell, Chapin, Ill. . . . . 2-25-41

WANTED TO RENT—Modern house  
close in permanent. Address A.  
B. C. care Journal. . . . . 2-26-61

WANTED TO RENT—Cottage close  
in, modern, permanent. Address  
X. Y. Z., care Journal. . . . . 2-26-61

WANTED—Boarders and roomers at  
321 West Court street, close in,  
good table and nice rooms, steam  
heat, bath, hot and cold running  
water. Terms reasonable. Ill.  
phone 50-822. . . . . 2-19-11

WANTED—Messenger boy, 16 years  
of age with bicycle. Steady work.  
Western Union. . . . . 2-26-11

FOR RENT—House, always. The  
Johnston Agency. . . . . 1-1-15

FOR RENT—4 modern unfurnished  
rooms. Ladies preferred. 349 West  
Morgan. . . . . 2-24-41

FOR RENT—Furnished modern  
rooms for light housekeeping, 425  
South Main. . . . . 2-21-61

FOR RENT—Furnished room with  
bath, 413 West College avenue.  
Ill. phone 825. . . . . 2-26-61

FOR RENT—Modern eight room  
house on West North street. Ill-  
inois phone 743. . . . . 1-17-11

FOR RENT—Five room cottage  
corner Diamond and Lafayette  
avenue. W. L. Simpson. 1-31-11

FOR RENT—Desirable flat for  
small family. Heat and water  
furnished. 317 W. State St., city.  
2-25-11

FOR RENT—New 4-room house for  
small family. South Jacksonville.  
Apply T. L. Cannon, 626 South  
Diamond street. . . . . 2-25-11

FOR SALE—Male calf, 205 East  
Greenwood. . . . . 2-26-61

FOR SALE—Clover seed. Illinois  
phone 0185. . . . . 1-30-1mo

FOR SALE—Two weanling mules.  
Ill. phone 9258. . . . . 2-24-11

FOR SALE—Lot manure, also stock  
rake. 519 Myrtle street. . . . . 2-26-41

FOR SALE—End and line hedge  
post. Isaiah Strawn Stock Farm.  
2-27-61

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned clover seed.  
M. A. Hallett, Bell phone 924-5. . . . . 1-19-11

FOR SALE—White Spitz Collie pups.  
Inquire McHatten, at Schmalz.  
2-24-11

FOR SALE—Grocery stock and fix-  
tures. Address "XX" care Jour-  
nal. . . . . 2-12-11

FOR SALE—Timothy and alfalfa  
hay, cat straw. 447 South East  
street. . . . . 2-19-11

FOR SALE—Black Shire Stallion, 6  
years old. Ill. phone 0165. J. F.  
Burns. . . . . 2-19-1mo

FOR SALE—Strawberry and rhubarb  
plants. D. S. Taylor. Illinois  
phone 60-86. . . . . 2-21-11

FOR SALE—Mortgage \$3,500, six  
per cent Morgan county land. F.  
L. Hatgrove. . . . . 2-27-61

FOR SALE—Mound avenue resi-  
dence; modern. J. F. Strawn.  
1231 Mound Ave. . . . . 1-5-11

FOR SALE OR RENT—1-4 acres  
of land, good house, barn, and  
chicken house. Inquire 228 W.  
College Ave. J. F. Mendonca. . . . . 2-4-1mo.

FOR SALE—Pure containing money  
and railroad tickets. Inquire  
769 West North St. . . . . 2-27-11

State of Illinois, ss  
Morgan County, ss  
In the Circuit Court, To the May  
Term, A. D. 1915.  
John R. Robertson, Complainant,  
vs. Minnie Z. Robertson, Kathryn R.  
Smith, Chris Horst, James Robin-  
son and Gates Strawn as Adminis-  
trators of the estate of Julius Strawn  
deceased, defendants—GIVEN in Chancery.

Notice is hereby given to the said  
defendant, Kathryn R. Smith, that  
said complainant heretofore filed in  
the office of the Clerk of the Circuit  
Court within and for the County of  
Morgan and State of Illinois a bill  
in Chancery in the above entitled  
cause against all of said defendants,  
and that a summons in chancery  
thereupon issued out of the office  
of the Clerk of said Circuit Court  
in the above entitled cause against  
all of said defendants, and that said  
summons is returnable on the first  
day of the next term of said Circuit  
Court, to be begun and held on the  
second Monday of May, A. D. 1915,  
at the Court House in the City of  
Jacksonville, in the said County of  
Morgan and State of Illinois, and  
that said suit is still pending in said  
court.

Witness Eugene D. Pyatt, Clerk  
of said Court, and the seal thereof,  
this 11th day of February, A. D.  
1915. Eugene D. Pyatt,  
(Seal) Clerk of said Court.  
M. T. Layman,  
Solicitor for Complainant.

FOR SALE—Baled Timothy hay and  
wheat straw. Ill. Phone 663.  
Stansfield Baldwin. . . . . 2-21-11

BARRER ROCK EGGS—Fifteen for  
\$1. Per hundred, \$5. Len Ma-  
gill, Ill. phone 418. . . . . 1-31-1mo

FOR SALE—Five room house, with  
acre lot, South Jacksonville, 1515  
South Main, Bell phone 346.  
2-23-61

FOR SALE—Choice strawberry  
plants; quality guaranteed. L.  
N. James, Ill. phone 86.  
2-16-1mo

FOR SALE—Choice seed corn, 2  
varieties; quality A-1. L. N.  
James, Illinois phone 86.  
2-16-1mo

FOR SALE—Large driving horse,  
harness and storm wagon, cheap.  
Joe Jackson at Andrews Lumber  
Yard. . . . . 2-20-11

FOR SALE—Eggs single comb white  
Leghorn, B. P. Rock, \$1.00 for  
15; \$5.00 per hundred. Bell  
phone 970-3. . . . . 2-25-1mo

FOR SALE—Clover, timothy and  
blue grass seed. Re-cleaned. All  
1914 crop. Charles L. Ransom.  
Both phones. . . . . 2-14-11

FOR SALE—A good farm of 160  
acres 1-12 miles northwest of  
Waverly, Ill. M. T. Layman,  
Jacksonville, Ill. . . . . 2-18-11

FOR SALE—National Cash Register  
of latest model worth \$100 when  
new, will sell cheap. Address Re-  
gister care Journal. . . . . 2-23-61

EGGS FOR SALE—(Martz strain)  
Buff Orpington pen of extra fine  
birds. 15 for \$1.00. Geo. Ham-  
ilton, Ill. phone 50-338. . . . . 2-19-11

FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa, timo-  
thy hay, wheat straw, corn, oats,  
coal, flour, oil meal, shorts bran  
and salt. Joy Prairie Farmers  
Elevator Co. Ill. phone 0177.  
2-5-1mo

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. Rhode  
Island Red eggs, \$1.00 per fifteen.  
\$4.00 per one hundred, pen eggs  
\$2.00 per fifteen. Edward Arm-  
strong, east of city. Bell Phone  
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Wheat—Open High Low Close  
May \$1.51 \$1.51 \$1.46 \$1.49  
July 1.23 1.23 1.20 1.22  
Corn—  
May .71% .71% .70% .71%  
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Oats—  
May .56 .56 .54% .55%  
July .52% .52% .51% .53%  
Rye—  
May .73% .73% .72% .73%  
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Ribs—  
May 17.30 17.35 16.80 17.25  
July 17.57 17.79 17.22% 17.90  
Lard—  
May 10.25 10.27% 10.17% 10.27%  
July 10.19 10.17% 10.32% 10.17%  
Hogs—  
May 9.80 9.85 9.70 9.82%  
July 10.05 10.15 10.99 10.12%  
CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.  
Chicago, Feb. 26.—Wheat—No. 2  
red, \$1.46@1.51; No. 3 red, \$1.45%  
@1.50%; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.  
47@1.52; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.  
45%@1.51%  
Corn—No. 2 mixed, 75c; No. 2  
mixed, 75c; No. 4 mixed, 64c@65c;  
No. 3 white, 68c@68%; No. 4 white,  
67c@68c; No. 2 yellow, 70c@71c;  
No. 3 yellow, 67c@68c; No. 4 yellow,  
64c@65c; No. 5 yellow, 62c@63c.  
Oats—No. 2 white, 55c; No. 3  
white, 54c@55c; No. 4 white, 53%  
@54c; standard, 54c@55c.



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Because it is so perfectly safe to use and has been of such great help to a host of expectant mothers, these women, experienced in this most happy period, advise the use of "Mother's Friend."

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## ILLINOIS STATE BUILDING DEDICATED AT FRISCO FAIR

Great Company of Former State Residents Gathered For Impressive Ceremonies—Chairman Karpen of Illinois Commission Made Address.

San Francisco, February 26.—Complete in every detail, and ready to receive visitors, the Illinois state building at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition was formally dedicated to the citizens of Illinois with impressive ceremonies here this afternoon.

An immense throng, including nearly two thousand former residents of Illinois, who now make their homes in San Francisco and other parts of California, attended the dedication.

Associate Justice Henry A. Melvin of the Supreme Court of California, who is a native of Illinois, presided over the exercises, while the principal address was made by the Reverend Doctor F. W. Clapp, rector of Trinity Church, of San Francisco, also a native of Illinois.

Adolph Karpen, Chicago manufacturer and chairman of the Illinois commission to the exposition, was present as the personal representative of Governor Dunne. Other members of the commission in attendance were Andrew M. Lawrence, vice-chairman, of Chicago; former Lieutenant Governor John G. Oglesby, of Elkhart, and A. N. Abbott, of Morrison.

The dedicatory exercises were inaugurated by the officials of the exposition, headed by Charles C. Moore, president; Frederick J. V. Skiff, director-in-chief, and Harris D. H. Connick, director of works, who greeted the commission's representatives at the exposition's main entrance gate and escorted them to the Illinois building.

President Moore thanked the State of Illinois for its participation in the exposition, and congratulated the Illinois commission upon the completion of the building, saying that he and the other officials of the exposition were particularly gratified when the doors of the building were opened to the general public last Saturday, simultaneously with the opening of the exposition.

At the conclusion of his talk he presented the commission with a bronze plaque emblematic of the dedication.

Short talks also were made by Director-in-Chief Skiff and Director of Works Connick. Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco and a representative of Governor Johnson, California's executive.

Following Doctor Clapp's address, the throng sang "Illinois," and after the address of Chairman Karpen of the commission sang, for the first time, "Dreams of Illinois," a song written especially for the occasion by Sarah J. Jordan, of Oakland. The theme of the song is the pride of former residents of Illinois now living in California in their native state.

The various Illinois state societies in California, through Mrs. Viola S. Murphy, of Oakland, presented the commission with a huge silk American flag.

"The Star Spangled Banner," sung by the audience standing, concluded the ceremonies.

After the dedicatory, the throng passed into the building and listened to an organ recital by the noted organist, Clarence Eddy. The instrument which Mr. Eddy used was especially built for the Illinois building by the Hinners Organ Company of Pekin.

The address of Chairman Karpen of the Illinois commission was a review of the construction, furnishing and equipment of the building; a sketch of the other state exhibits being made by Illinois, through the commission, in the various exhibition palaces of the exposition, and a summary of the commission's plans for the conduct of the building and the entertainment of visitors during the exposition.

He called attention to the art exhibit in the building, which is separate from the display of Illinois art in the exposition palace of fine arts; to the commission's educational, agricultural, mines and mining, and Lincoln exhibits.

He also called attention to the motion-picture theatre in the Illinois building, and said that the commission will show there motion pictures of the state's resources and products: parks, boulevards, industries, state institutions.

Chairman Karpen said that arrangements have already been begun for special observances of "Illinois Day," which will be July twenty-fourth, and "Chicago Day," which will be October ninth, and that Governor Dunne and members of his staff, other state officials and members of the state legislature will attend the exposition on "Illinois Day" and that the governor and his party will be escorted across the continent to the Illinois building by the entire first regiment, Illinois National Guard.

In concluding his address, Chairman Karpen informed his hearers that the Illinois building is the property of the citizens of Illinois, and of the former citizens of the state, and that they should freely avail themselves of its pleasures and conveniences.

He said that one or more of the members of the Illinois commission will be at the building throughout the exposition to welcome the visitors in the name of the state.

**A FALSE REPORT.** For the past few days it has been reported that Mrs. William Baldwin of Los Angeles, formerly Miss Vanda Yera of this place, was dead but such is not the case and the lady's friends desire the report corrected.

## NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

During Lent there are always some people who turn to reading that will mean for them some spiritual advance. The first two books on the list this week may interest those looking for such reading.

**Devotional.**  
Augustine, Saint—Confessions. There has only been selections of this classic in the library up to the present time. This complete edition is translated by E. B. Pusey, of whom the Catholic Encyclopedia says, "His penance, charities and studies were alike distinguished for their unsparring self sacrifice." The Confessions have ever been a favorite Christian study. St. Augustine says of them himself, "They praise God, Holy and Good, on occasion of that which has in me been good or evil, and raise up man's understanding and affections to Him."

**Practical.**  
Dyer—Vision of Anton. "Where there is no vision, the people perish."

**Conference of Farmers' Institute and Short Course Workers—Proceedings on Permanent and Sanitary Farm Improvements.**

**Radford—Details of Building Construction.** Contains 185 full page detail drawings, each plate with descriptive text, all fully indexed for ready reference. Modern building construction and finish for residences of every type; also miscellaneous buildings such as sleeping porches, farm buildings and details for interiors including special built in features, dining room buffets, kitchen cabinets, cases and cupboards, window seats, wardrobes, linen closets, fireplaces, mantels and built in book cases.

**Literature.**

Shaw—Three Plays for Puritans. "In the volume here presented will be found some of Mr. Shaw's ripest and most characteristic work. The first play, 'The Devil's Disciple,' is a wonderful study in temperament. The author's notes tell you where he found some of the things it contains, but he does not say where he found that religious fiend of a mother. To credit her in part to Charles Dickens does not quite satisfy. She could have existed in New England only. Those who have been so fortunate as to see this play given by Mr. Richard Mansfield and his excellent company will cherish a most satisfactory dramatic memory." The other two plays in the volume are Caesar and Cleopatra and Captain Brassbound's Conversion.

**Tagore—King of the Dark Chamber.** "The King of the Dark Chamber is an allegory, a form of which Tagore is the greatest living master; probably because he never submerges the artist in the preacher; the moral is not crammed down the reader's throat."—N. Y. Times.

**History and Travel.**  
Adam—Pictorial Tour of North America. Gift.  
Smith—Student's History of Illinois.

**Reut Fiction.**  
Rinehart—Streets of Seven Stars. Sedgwick—The Encounter. "The daring idea of this book is the presentation of the personality and philosophy of Nietzsche as the hero, Ludwig Weh'iz, the lover of Persis Fennamy, a quiet cool American girl brought up abroad. There are also two other lovers and Persis has much to learn from all of them. Fine literary skill and keen psychological analysis."

**"American Fence" costs more, weighs more, WORTH more. Gay's Reliable Hardware.**

## IS JEALOUS OF FOURTEEN YEAR OLD RIVAL.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Ralph Campbell, who is charged with the murder of her husband, a store keeper, will be arraigned today. Mathilda Collett, a fourteen year old girl, a clerk in the store, is said to be the innocent cause of the killing. Jealousy will be the motive on which the prosecutors will try to fasten the murder onto Mrs. Campbell. In an alleged confession made to the police, she claimed that she shot her husband in self defense. The girl in the case had been working in the Campbell store, and was a member of the household.

## SEE IF THE CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative," they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.

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We have purchased the entire sample line of new spring street and Pattern Hats of the Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Company of St. Louis, Mo., better known as the Gold Medal Hats.

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AND NO TWO HATS ALIKE!

This is positively the greatest Millinery purchase ever made and The Emporium was the lucky one to get them at less than 50c on the dollar. The regular prices for these Hats are from \$8.00 to \$20.00.

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## PIKE'S PEAK OCEAN TO OCEAN HIGHWAY MEETING

Annual Session Will be Held in Springfield, March 4th—Plans for Year's Activities Will be Discussed.

Fred A. Stone, as president, and Harry A. Scheider, as secretary, of the Illinois division of the Ocean to Ocean Highway, have issued the following letter calling attention to the annual meeting to be held in Springfield next Thursday:

"The first annual meeting of the Illinois Division of the Pike's Peak Ocean to Ocean Highway has been called to meet at Springfield, Illinois on Thursday, March 4th, to convene at one o'clock p. m. in the office of the Springfield Commercial Association. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and other important business will be transacted."

"The season of 1915 will see thousands of automobiles travelling across the Continent to the California Expositions. How many will come through Illinois over the Pike's Peak Route? How will they find our roads? Will the route be thoroughly marked? These questions have been discussed before but action and results are most desired now. We hope the citizens of every community will take an active interest in securing a large attendance at the annual meeting."

The executive committee includes the following: C. M. Simmons, Griggsville; George L. Vanaler, Bluffs; Frank J. Heinl, Jacksonville;

D. V. White, Leoni; A. M. Kenney, Decatur; E. R. Parson, Atwood; Scott Burgett, Newman; Oscar Jones, Chrisman; S. W. Salvary, Terre Haute, Ind.; James P. Hinton, Hannibal, Mo.

## NEED OF HOT BEDS AND COLD FRAMES IN MARKET GARDENING

The matter of glass is important in connection with market gardening. Hotbeds and coldframes are already in very common use for starting plants for the outdoor crops in fall and spring. However, many growers do not make as profitable use of their sash and frames as they might. In numerous cases, the equipment is left idle during the fall, when a crop or two of radishes or lettuce might be grown instead. By having plants ready at the proper time, two crops of leaf lettuce can be grown in a bed in the spring before the outside offers much competition, whereas only one crop is grown in most cases. Again, some gardeners content themselves with simply growing plants for the outdoor crops in the spring. By starting crops like squash, cucumbers, egg-plants, and the like in the frames slightly in advance of their normal outdoor planting time, and protecting them for a short time while young, they will gain much in earliness and will yield a handsome profit from the space as a result.—By C. E. Durr, University of Illinois.

F. L. Dowell of Petersburg made a trip down to the city yesterday.

## DR. CARSON

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In the treatment of Chronic Disease, will be at the Dunlap Hotel, Jacksonville, Illinois, Wednesday, Mar. 3rd, 1915. one day only. (Returns every 28 days). Hours, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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I treat successfully the cases I undertake, and accept no fee from those who are incurable. That is why I continue my visits year after year, while other specialists make only a few visits and cease to return.

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Tired in the morning and easily excited? Are you dizzy or nervous? Pain in the head? Tongue coated? Have you Catarrh—nose stopped up? Gas on the stomach? Hands and feet cold? Pain of hands and feet? Have you aching joints or aches of the body, back or limbs? Have you Rheumatism? Have you Piles? Piles—itching or bleeding? Have you kidney or bladder trouble, lame or weak back, pains in back or joints? Have you any blood disease—scrofula, skin eruptions, pimples, bone pains, pale complexion and losing weight?

I invite you to call and investigate the Carson System of the treatment of Chronic Diseases, which I have perfected after fifteen years of experience and study, and you will be convinced that my modern, up to date methods of curing disease are what you need.

Never before has there been a treatment giving such universal satisfaction. Every sufferer is cordially invited to call and secure full details concerning this new treatment free of charge.

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**Private Diseases a Specialty!**

**NERVOUS DEBILITY**—Are you nervous, despondent, weak, tired mornings, no ambition, poor memory, easily fatigued, excitable, irritable, eyes sunken, red and blood, pimples on the face, dreamy, restless, haggard looking, weak back, deposit in urine, drains stool, distrustful, want of confidence, lack of energy and strength.

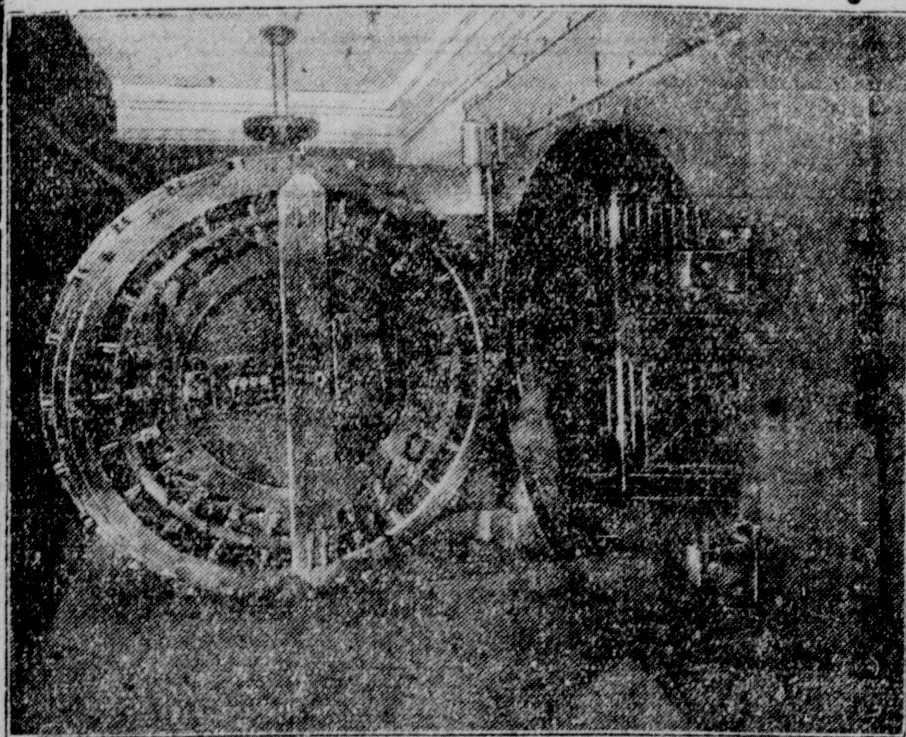


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Come in and let our vault clerk, Mr. Ewen I. Whitlock, explain.

## Social Activities

### Murrayville Domestic Science Club at Annual Banquet.

The Murrayville Social Domestic Science club held the fourth annual banquet Friday night at Walker's restaurant in Murrayville, the occasion proving one of very great interest and pleasure. The banquet was served at 7:30 o'clock and included a number of excellent courses.

Afterward with Mrs. C. J. Wright presiding, a program of toasts was carried out each lady responding in very clever vein. The toast made up a symposium termed "Woman's Sphere" and the responses were:

The Child—Mrs. Iva Short.  
The Young Lady—Miss Mildred Wright.  
The Spinster—Mrs. C. T. Daniel.  
The Mother—Mrs. H. G. Strang.  
The Wife—Mrs. W. W. Walker.

Then came a program of readings and music which was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Arthur Seymour gave two readings, Mrs. Iva Short and Miss Wright gave both vocal and instrumental duets and Mrs. H. G. Strang and Mrs. C. J. Wright, an instrumental duet. Still later an hour was spent in games and the whole occasion was one of unalloyed enjoyment.

Membership in the club is limited to twenty members and at the various meetings subjects relating to household economics are discussed in a way which proves most helpful and practical. Mrs. C. J. Wright is the president of the club and the membership includes Mrs. C. T. Daniel, Mrs. J. H. Dill, Mrs. Charles Keener, Mrs. Emma Riggs, Miss Emma Rimbey, Mrs. Lella Ramsey, Mrs. Iva Short, Mrs. Mary Simpson, Mrs. W. B. Wright, Miss Mildred Wright, Mrs. C. J. Wright, Mrs. Arthur Seymour, Mrs. Nell Sooy, Mrs. Beecher Rimbey, Mrs. C. S. McCollom, Mrs. J. H. Spencer, Mrs. H. G. Strang, Mrs. W. W. Walker, Mrs. Andrew Johnson, Mrs. Carl Story.

### Post-Nuptial Event for Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin, who recently were married, a pleasing post-nuptial function was given Thursday evening by Mrs. Harry Martin and Miss May Martin at the home of the latter, three miles east of Liberty. Before her marriage Mrs. Martin was Miss Myrtle Maude Swain.

There were present some forty-five guests and the beauty and variety of the gifts presented Mr. and Mrs. Martin bore unmistakable testimony to the esteem in which they are held by many friends. In the contests which served to pass the hours, Orville Petefish, Mrs. Ona Crum and Miss Edith Hitchens were the prize winners. The two-course luncheon was daintily elaborate and the candles and streamers which helped carry out the pink and white color idea were well set off by sweet peas, ferns and smilax in profuse array.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Earl Underbrink, Miss Mildred Underbrink, Mr. and Mrs. Durrell Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Ona Crum, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Beavers, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Petefish, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Al Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rexroat, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Litter, Miss Edith Hitchens, Miss May Meyers, Miss Grace Meyers, Miss Georgia Litter, Miss Anna Crum, Miss Lora Petefish, Miss Eva Lee Petefish, Orville Crum, Orville

Petefish, Aaron Petefish, Jr.; Miss Helen Swain, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson, Carroll and Miss Pearl Robinson of Prentice, Edward Allen of Jacksonville and Miss Minnie Hanning of St. Louis.

### Lynnville Young People Give Play.

The young people of Lynnville, mostly members of the Methodist and Christian churches gave a very commendable play last night in the town hall, under the direction of Miss Nannie Campbell. The title of the play was "The Old District School." There was a large audience present and the neat sum of \$40 was realized. The cast follows:

Teacher—Edwin Gordon.  
Scholars—Albert Potter, Nellie Gibbs, Moses Perry, Ethel Masters, Gail Ranson, Lella Potter, James Heaton, Roy Sayre, William Schofield, Fred Masters, Fred Strinzer, Avanda Potter, Joyce Masters, Marie Sayre, Jessie Masters, Annette Gouveia and Scott Gordon.

Members of school committee—Thomas Dodsworth, Irene Phillips, Miss Gladys Gordon acted as pianist.

Chester Colton gave a trombone solo accompanied by his sister, Miss Edith Colton.

### Entertain in Honor of Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Becker entertained fifty of their friends at a party Tuesday evening at their home near Alexander, music, dancing and games afforded amusement of the evening.

At a late hour delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Becker was assisted by Mrs. Howard Robinson, Misses Emma Foster and Sidney Robinson. Among those present were the Misses Florence Bourn and Zella Keller of Jacksonville and Ray Sinclair of Chicago.

### Gave Rush in Honor of Miss Dresser.

Mrs. Rex Brittenham gave a white rush last night at her home on West Morton avenue in honor of her sister, Miss Florence Dresser, whose engagement to Mr. Otto Hurs was recently announced. Red and white keyholes were used on the place cards and for decorations and in all details the event was one to be remembered with pleasure. In the fortune game the honors went to Miss Edith Johnson and in the guessing contest, Mrs. James R. Leith won. Excellent refreshments, added to the pleasures of the evening.

### Kewpie Clan Meets.

With Miss Irene Smith. The members of the Kewpie Clan were entertained Thursday evening by Miss Edith Jones and Miss Irene Smith at the home of the latter on South Church street, and the event was an enjoyable one in every respect. In the contests the prize was won by Miss Irene Park. Three young ladies were admitted to membership, Misses Bess and Grace Hadden and Nannie Crim. A flash-light picture was taken of the company.

### Give Oyster Supper.

The young men of the Inevitable class of the Liberty Baptist church gave an oyster supper last evening at the church building, which was very much enjoyed by all who partook. Voluntary contributions only were received as there was no charge fixed for the refreshment.

### FIRST DAY'S PLAYING OF WESTERN DIVISION BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

(Continued from page four.)

#### THE EVENING GAMES.

Petersburg Loses to Pawnee While Pittsfield Wallops Mt. Sterling.

The first game of the evening contests was between Petersburg and Pawnee, the latter winning by a score of 19 to 11. The game was closely fought throughout, the score in the first half being 4 to 6 in favor of Pawnee.

The score:

	PB	FT	TP
Petersburg	0	5	5
Shibley, rg	1	0	2
Redmond, rf	1	0	2
Batterton, c	2	0	4
Powers, rg	0	0	0
Gunn, lg	0	0	0
Totals	3	1	11

Pawnee

	PB	FT	TP
Minder, rf	0	0	0
Jordan, lf	2	5	9
Chambers, c	2	0	4
Young, lf	0	0	0
White, rg	3	0	6
Totals	7	5	19

Pittsfield, 34; Mt. Sterling, 11. Pittsfield found little trouble in defeating Mt. Sterling, the score being 34 to 11. Doocy put up a big game for his team getting ten field goals and one free throw. The rivalry between the two towns in athletics made the contest a hard fought one.

The score:

	PB	FT	TP
Pittsfield	10	1	21
Doocy, rf	3	1	7
Thomas, lf	3	0	6
Stark, c	0	0	0
Garvin, rg	0	0	0
Nelber, lf	0	0	0
White, rg	0	0	0
Totals	16	2	34

Mt. Sterling

	PB	FT	TP
Pittman, lf	1	2	4

Harris, rf ..... 0 0 0  
Manny, c ..... 1 5 7  
Gorney, g ..... 0 0 0  
Simpson, g ..... 0 0 0  
Totals ..... 2 7 11

#### Northwestern District Results.

Galesburg, Ill., Feb. 26.—The following afternoon scores were made in the Northwestern district high school basketball tournament.

Galesburg, 26; Monmouth, 16.  
Moline, 69; New Boston, 4.  
Avon, 36; Abingdon, 18.  
Farmington, 23; Kirkwood, 3.  
Kewanee, 40; Macomb, 9.

Central Illinois Scores.  
Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 26.—The scores in the Central Illinois district high school basketball tournament today were as follows:

Morning games—  
University High, (Normal), 22; Washington, 21.

Afternoon Games—  
Clinton, 28; Atlanta, 23.  
Minonk, 26; Farmer City, 22.  
Normal, 36; Peoria Manual, 23.  
Peoria Central, 25; Monticello, 21.  
Bloomington, 28; Onarga, 24.

Evening Games—  
Clinton, 26; Minonk, 41.  
Clinton, 26; Minonk, 41.  
University High, (Normal), 27; Peoria Central, 15.  
Bloomington, 9; Normal, 12.

#### FRONT LINE IS A

London, Feb. 26.—(10:25 p. m.)—"All the ground near the front line is plowed up with shells and littered with the remains of old trenches and graves. The whole place is a vast cemetery in which our trenches and those of the enemy wind in every direction." This statement is made by the British official eye-witness at the front, in a description given out here tonight of the recent battles southeast of Ypres and of the country in which the armies are fighting.

## ADVANCE DISPLAY

### Of the Newest Creations in Dress and Wash Goods for Spring and Summer

The purchase of materials for your Spring Dresses should be a matter of careful selection. You wish to be sure that the style is correct—that you get the utmost value. In the complete and well selected lines we offer for your inspection you will find all in the way of real quality you could ask for. In addition the style and smartness demanded by the most discriminate dressers is also a certainty. The offerings of our Silk Dress and Wash goods departments appeal to all women who are "Critical enough to want the best—keen enough to recognize the best—and economical enough to appreciate the full purchasing power of a dollar."

It is our policy to go out of our way to insure absolute satisfaction and never consider a sale complete until this result is accomplished. Our success comes from a strict basis of value giving to our customers. Ours is your kind of a store in every particular. Experienced sales ladies will help you make our service mean more to you from now on and you can rest assured that if it comes from our shelves it bears the stamp of style authoritativeness.

### Advance Models in Coats and Suits for Spring

The style leadership so jealously maintained from season to season by our Ready to Wear department will be more in evidence this spring than ever before in the history of our firm. Our new arrivals are surpassing even our own expectations in style and quality. We invite every well dressed lady in Jacksonville and vicinity to visit our comfortable well lighted show rooms at their leisure and inspect the latest models in Coats and Suits for Spring. We are showing new and ultra-exclusive models in all the new shades—the Crow Blue, Belgian Blue, Dark Grey, Russian Green, Pansy Purple, Sand and Putty shades, and in all the newest materials.

As a special inducement we have arranged a number of money-saving bargains for one week only.

#### Embroidery Special

See window for display of new spring embroidery. Values up to 25c at per yard 10c

#### Embroidery Special

Another lot of embroideries and insertions, slightly soiled. Values up to 25c at per yard ..... 05c

\$1.00, \$1.25 Purses at 89c.

#### Remnant Special

We have selected some wonderful values in remnants which we will place on sale for this week for immediate disposal at the remarkable price of per yard ..... 05c

#### Sweater Special

Your choice of our stock of sweaters coats for ladies and misses—all styles and colors, at ..... one-half price

12 1-2 c Red Seal Gingham at ..... 08c

#### Men's Hose Special

Men's thread silk half hose—good weight, of fine gauge. A very good 50c value, special this week at ..... 19c

#### Kid Glove Special

Another lot of Simmen's first quality kid gloves—in all shades for spring. A \$3.00 value, special this week at 75c

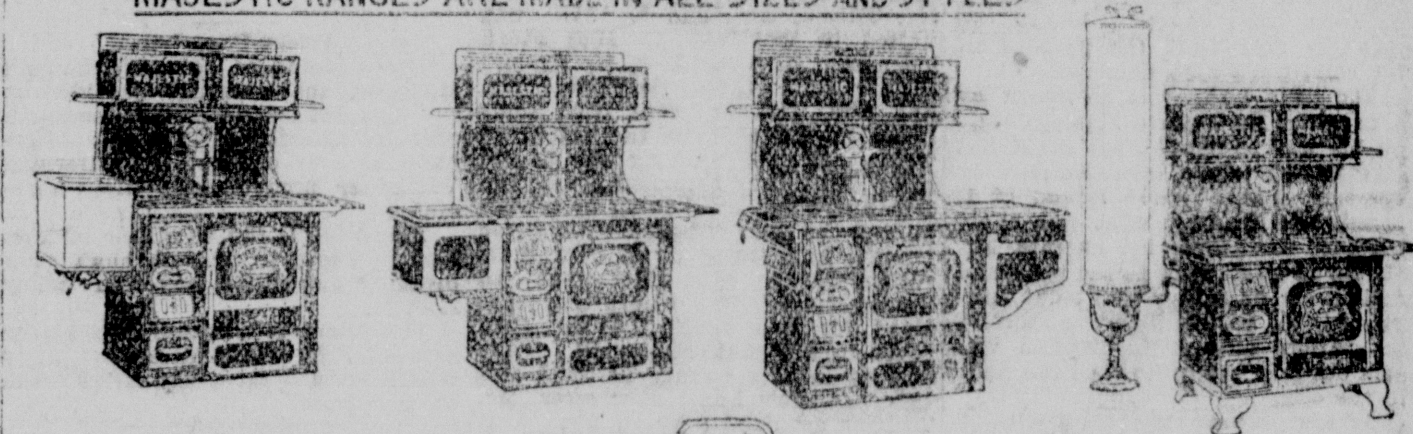
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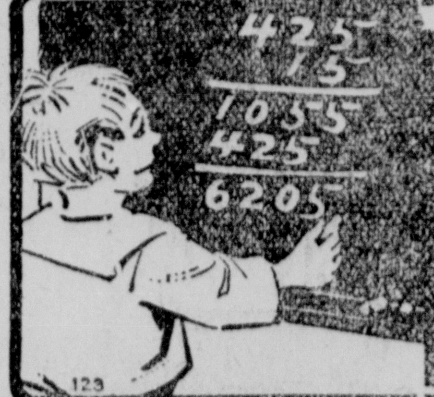
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#### EIGHTY C. P. & ST. L. EMPLOYEES WENT ON STRIKE FRIDAY

Refusal of Official to Re-instate Discharged Employee Cause of Trouble.

Springfield, Feb. 26.—Eighty employees of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis railroad, the majority of them car repairers, were called out on strike this morning, when officials of the road refused to reinstate a discharged employee.

The strike will not in any way affect the service of the road, unless the trouble spreads to other employees. Sixty-five of the men on strike are car repairers and the other fifteen are pitmen and coach cleaners.

The trouble started on February 13, when W. A. McGill, foreman of the car repair department, discharged one of the car repairers for drunkenness while on duty at the yards. The grievance committee of the Carmen's union objected to his discharge and filed notice with C. S. Branch, superintendent of the mechanical department. Branch held a hearing and after both sides submitted evidence, upheld McGill's action, finding that the employee was guilty of intoxication charges.

The grievance committee then notified the railroad officials that unless the man was reinstated they would call a strike. The company refused to allow him to go to work and at 7 o'clock this morning the hour for the men to go to work, they all refused to begin work.

Superintendent Hurst in commenting on the situation this morning, hoped for an early settlement.

"I do not wish to hire other men to take the place of the strikers unless it is necessary," Mr. Hurst said. "During the winter we could have worked with less men than we had hired but I did not like to discharge any good workmen and kept them busy. I hope the trouble will be adjusted and they will come back to their work."

#### SPECIAL

Our big special sales on peanut and taffy candy at 10 cents per lb., have proven so popular that we will hold another one today, don't fail to attend. Vickery & Merrigan.

#### WINCHESTER

W. D. Hitt of Merritt was a visitor here Thursday.

S. C. Smith returned to Winchester Wednesday from a short trip to St. Louis.

Dr. H. H. Fletcher was a visitor yesterday in St. Louis.

Harry McCarty and family went Thursday to their new home in the First addition in the west part of town.

Mrs. W. W. Kincaid, who has been visiting at Orleans, is expected home today. Miss Jessie Richardson of Riggsport accompanied her.

Little Flora Kirkpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kirkpatrick, is ill at her home in the west part of town.

Miss Elsie Edmundson left Thursday afternoon for Winchester, Ky., for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sadeth.

That Peaberry coffee at 25c lb., continues to please. Try it. Claus Tea Co.

#### BIRTH RECORD.

Born, Feb. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Colby of Los Angeles, California, a son, Robert Warren. Mrs. Colby was formerly Miss Neta Ryan of this city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Manual Goveia of 923 North Prairie street, on Thursday morning, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tendick of Murrayville, a daughter.

#### DR. HILL HERE TO TAKE HOSPITAL SUPERINTENDENCY

Dr. E. L. Hill of Red Bud, Ill., who was recently appointed superintendent of Jacksonville State hospital to succeed Dr. H. B. Carriel, resigned, arrived in Jacksonville Friday. Dr. Hill will formally enter upon his new duties today.

"American Fence" costs more, weighs more, WORTH more. Gay's Reliable Hardware.

#### EDUCATING PARENTS.

"The Education of Parents," was the subject of an interesting paper by Mrs. William Newman, read Thursday afternoon before the Third Ward Parent-Teachers' association in session at the Franklin school. Mrs. W. R. Haneline and Mrs. O. J. Kuchmann assisted in the discussion. A minuet on the violin was given by a trio composed of Earl Briscoe, Harold Dunlap and Byron Carpenter. At the business session it was decided to purchase a supply of dishes to be kept for social events in the building.

M. M. McComb was a business visitor in the city yesterday and left in the afternoon for Abingdon where he and Mrs. McComb will spend the summer, and possibly a longer period. Mr. McComb visits Jacksonville occasionally to look after his farm near here and always finds friends glad to greet him.

#### PUBLIC SALES

March 2—Smith & Stone, 2 miles south west of Chapin.  
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Drop in and try them on. You'll find it easier to see the difference in the style than we could tell you about it.



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Stetsons . . . \$3.50 to \$5.00  
No Name Hats . . . \$3.00  
Our Special . \$2.00 and \$2.50

## Bargains! | LAST WEEK | Bargains! Of Our Great 17th Semi-Annual Sale

#### SEWING TABLE



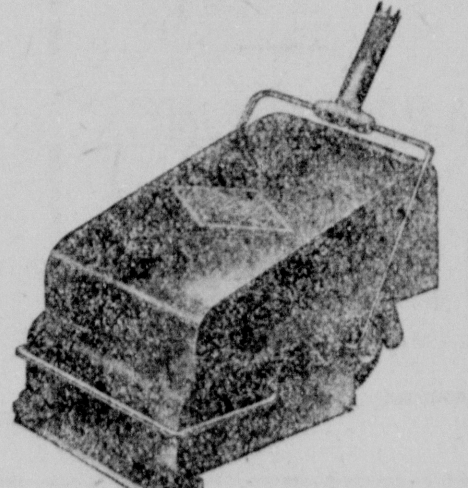
Cowan Martha Washington solid mahogany Sewing Table

\$12.50

Hundreds of money-saving values are still here. If you have not taken advantage of these great price reductions, let us urge you to come this week.

A Saving of  
10 to 50 Per Cent

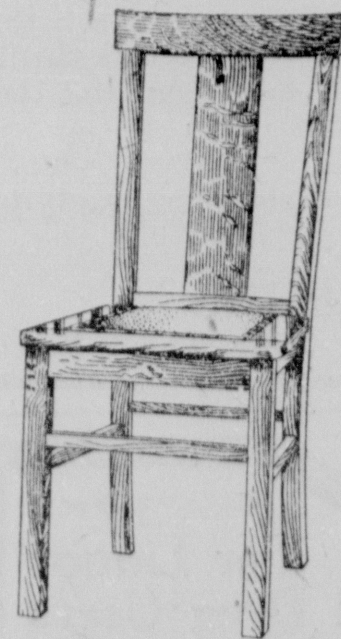
#### VACUUM CLEANER



Lightning Duplex Cleaner, solid steel case and triple bellows. Very powerful cleaner

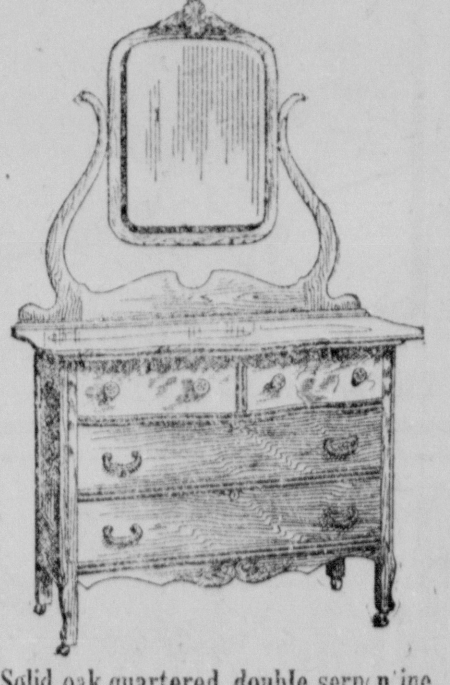
\$7.75

#### DINING CHAIRS—All Reduced



Like Cut, \$1.75

#### GOLDEN OAK DRESSER



Solid oak quartered, double serpentine front, French plate mirror, Like cut

\$9.85

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